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# The New York Times.

THE WEATHER.

Fair, colder to-day; rain, warmer to-morrow; fresh west winds.

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## AUTO RACES THROUGH TUNNEL A MILE LONG

### Thomas Car Reaches Evanston as a Train—Zust Gains West of Laramie.

### MUD HOLDS THE DE DION

### Motobloc Picks Up Distance on Immediate Competitors—Protos Has Tire Trouble in Iowa.

31ST DAY OF THE RACE.

| Car. | Arrived. | Time. P. M. | Distance. |
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| Thomas.. | Evanst'n, Wy.. | 10.45 | 2460 |
| ‡Zust...... | Laramie, Wy.. | 1:50 | 2109 |
| †De Dion.. | .Crescent, Ia.. | | 1524 |
| Protos...... | Ames, Ia...... | 3:00 | 1369 |
| Motobloc. | Cedar Rapids. | 7:30 | 1263 |

†Remained all day.
‡Last reported.

**FORECAST FOR RACING WEATHER TO-DAY.—Fair and colder for leading cars, probably rain and colder for others.**

*Special to The New York Times.*

EVANSTON, Wyo., March 13.—This is Friday, the 13th, and we all know it. The Thomas car, the leader in the Paris Matin-THE NEW YORK TIMES race from New York to Paris, got to Evanston at 10:45 P. M. It was traveling alone and running on the right of way of the Union Pacific, dispatched as a train and carrying Mr. Brown, the Chief Dispatcher of this point, as conductor.

We left the pilot car at Carter with a smashed rear axle. It was her luck to go through the worst roads in Wyoming without a smash of any kind, and come to grief in the railroad yards in Carter on ground as level as a floor. The rear axle smashed when the driver backed her into a steel rail.

Learning that the wagon roads between Carter and Evanston were impassable because of ten feet of snow on top of the divide, I at once made arrangements with the Union Pacific officials, who very kindly allowed us to use the railroad right of way between Carter and Evanston, a distance of forty odd miles.

This saved many days' work getting through snowdrifts, and especially when we passed through the tunnel through Aspen ridge, more than one mile long, thus cutting off the worst mountain climb of the trip. The roads over the divide, which is 9,000 feet above the sea level, are in such condition that a saddle horse could not get through, and in order to use them it would be necessary to build a road several miles long.

We found the worst roads of the trip this morning between Church Butte and Carter. This country is the Summer sheep range and in Winter there are no roads over it. The land to the north of Black Fork was badly cut up by deep gullies, and it was only by taking to the hills that we were able to get through at all. The snow is melting fast, and the ground is covered with mud several inches deep, through which the Thomas had to fight her way.

In all, we had at least twenty-five wide detours to get away from the gullies, and in some cases to make an advance of half a mile cost us a trip three or four times that long over rough, hilly country.

We will spend the night in Wyoming, within four miles of the Utah line, where they say a man may have as many wives as he likes. The people of Evanston had planned a leap year party for the members of the Thomas crew, but when the young women of the town learned that every member of the crew was married the leap year party fell down.

We will probably use the line of the Union Pacific as far as Wahsatch, where we take to the mud again for about twenty miles, and then strike a good road leading to Ogden. We will be met about forty miles out by a procession of automobiles from Salt Lake City and Ogden, and the Thomas will do her level best to show her rear light to the reception committee. If we fail, it will be the first time, for every reception committee which has met us thus far has been forced to follow.

The Italians are now in the Rockies, and it remains to be seen what their 7,500-pound car will do with the mountain grades. Barring accident, the Thomas has a safe lead at the present time.

E. LINN MATHEWSON.

### ZUST GAINS ON THE LEADER.

### Italians Go Past Laramie, Intending to Run at Night.

*Special to The New York Times.*

LARAMIE, Wyo., March 13.—The Italian car, which is pursuing the Thomas over the roads of Wyoming in an effort to wrest first place in the New York to Paris race from the Americans, arrived here at 1:50 o'clock this afternoon after a four-hour run from Cheyenne, where the car stopped yesterday. It had been thoroughly overhauled at the Union Pacific shops at that place and was in fine trim.

Preceded by a pilot it ran through Granite Cañon and crossed the highest summit of the Rockies in the route of the cars without trouble, and found the roads in much the same condition as the American car found them when it crossed the peak at Sherman. Though there was snow on the ground it was not deep enough to bother the car, and the Italians made very good time in spite of it.

The distance from Cheyenne to Laramie is 57 miles. The Thomas remained here over night after making the run on account of failure of the gasoline supply. The Italians took advantage of this condition to make a material gain on the American over the same stretch. After stopping an hour for luncheon they started west again at 2:55 o'clock with a fresh supply of fuel, intending to make an all-night run if necessary to pull up as much as possible on the leader.

The same enthusiasm that greeted the Americans was extended to the foreigners. They appeared much impressed by the hospitality of the West and warmly thanked the Reception Committee that ministered to their wants, but declined the invitation to remain over night for further entertainments. They hope to

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## THOUGHT HER EVELYN THAW.

### Harlem Audience Stampeded by a Young Woman with Money.

A taxicab stopped before a Harlem theatre just after 8 o'clock last night and a young woman attired in a white satin gown and ermine cloak alighted, paid the chauffeur with a two-dollar bill, and, stepping inside, put a hundred-dollar bill before the box office man, asking for a seat. She got a box seat, and as she took her chair some one whispered:

"It's Evelyn Thaw."

It wasn't, but the rumor flew through the house and soon the audience was devoting most of its attention to the young woman. In the intermission she went out to a telephone, where she called a number and ordered that an automobile call for her after the performance, saying: "This is A. H. Schwartz."

In the last act an usher told her that she was wanted on the telephone. She handed him $1 and said she could not be disturbed. A crowd watched as she left and re-entered the theatre in the intermission. It had increased to nearly a thousand persons when the performance ended.

The young woman walked down a lane of persons, who opened out before her, and entered an auto that was awaiting her. Witnesses said the car's number was 47,235—N. Y. The automobile register shows that this car is owned by the Barber Asphalt Company.

Daniel O'Reilly, with a woman companion, strolled out of the theatre a few feet behind the lone woman. Mr. O'Reilly seemed unable to understand the excitement.

### THAW SEES A SHOW.

### First Since the Memorable One at Which He Shot Stanford White.

*Special to The New York Times.*

MATTEAWAN, N. Y., March 13.—Harry K. Thaw was one of the patients at the Matteawan State Hospital to-day who saw an entertainment given by the Fenberg Stock Company, playing to-night at Fishkill Landing.

It was the first entertainment Thaw had seen since the night he killed White. A coincidence was the presence of Harry McGee, a dancer, who was in the performance of "Mlle. Champagne" the night Thaw killed White on the Madison Square Roof Garden. Thaw sat in the front seat, and heartily applauded several of the acts.

Six chorus girls who tried to see Thaw were hurried away with the statement, "He is not on exhibition to anybody."

Harry Thaw's answer in the annulment proceedings begun by his wife was served yesterday on Daniel O'Reilly, counsel for Mrs. Evelyn Thaw, by A. Russell Peabody, Thaw's attorney. The answer consists of a general denial of Mrs. Thaw's allegation that her husband was insane at the time of their marriage and asks that the suit be dismissed with costs.

### DISPUTE OVER SEPARATION SUIT

### Other Thaw Heirs Not Inclined to Pay to Get Rid of Harry's Wife.

*Special to The New York Times.*

PITTSBURG, March 13.—It is reported here to-day that Mrs. William Thaw has entirely lost the use of her left arm from rheumatism. It is announced that she will retire to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Carnegie, at Plum Orchard, Fla., as soon as the troubles between her daughter-in-law and the Thaw family are fixed up.

It is said here that there is quite a warm disagreement in the Thaw family over the settlement to be made with Mrs. Harry K. Thaw. Mrs. William Thaw, according to her Pittsburg friends, thinks, as does her daughter-in-law, that it would be more satisfactory to all if a total cash settlement were made, but she has not the ready cash with which to make one, and it is said that her other children decline to assist in getting rid of Evelyn through a cash settlement, insisting that the securities of Harry Thaw himself be sold to make good the demands of his wife in her separation.

In spite of denials, the report is believed here that young Mrs. Thaw has arranged to marry within a short time after she is freed from her present marriage bonds.

### MRS. CLEVELAND'S LOSSES.

### Writes to Financial Agent That She and ex-President "Lost Heavily."

*Special to The New York Times.*

OMAHA, Neb., March 13.—Mrs. Frances Cleveland, wife of the ex-President, has written to her financial agent in Omaha, urging him to collect a debt long overdue. Mrs. Cleveland had considerable property in Omaha at one time, and still has some small holdings here. Mrs. Cleveland has $70 coming from one Omahan, who has persistently neglected to pay it. It is this $70 which Mrs. Cleveland wants and is going to get if her financial agent can collect it.

In her letter the wife of the ex-President explains: "Both Mr. Cleveland and I lost heavily, you know, in the failure of the Knickerbocker and the decline in values of some of our holdings."

### DOG TROUBLES THE COURTS.

### Was Chin Chino Dyed or Not?—Women Litigants Reach Demurrer Stage.

The machinery of the lower courts and the Supreme Court is and has been for some time at work on the case of Chin Chino, a dog. Up to date the case has got as far as the demurrer stage, both parties being women.

The exact breed of Chin Chino is not given in the report of the case, but he is said to be Chinese.

De Mercy Argenteau, also described as "Princess de Montyglyon, related to the French royal family," exhibited Chin Chino at a New York dog show, it appears, and Chin got a blue ribbon. Then the awful charge was made that Chin's hair was dyed and he was ruled out.

Mrs. Ada Olive Van Heusen of 58 Central Park West had dogs in the show, and one of her dogs won a first prize in the class out of which Chin was ruled. Later the "Princess" wrote a letter to a publication giving her views on the ruling out of Chin and the final awarding of the first prize. The letter did not specifically name Mrs. Van Heusen, but the latter was sure that it was aimed at her, so she brought suit against the "Princess" for $50,000 damages for libel.

Mme. De Mercy Argenteau demurred to the complaint in the Supreme Court on the ground that it did not constitute a cause of action. The demurrer was overruled. She appealed to the Appellate Division, and yesterday the Appellate Division handed down a decision saying that her demurrer was rightly overruled. Justice Houghton wrote a dissenting opinion upholding the demurrer.

Now the case, having got back to where it started, will proceed. The "Princess" lives at Tappan, N. Y., raises dogs, and is said to be wealthy.

### Latest Shipping News.

Arrived—S. S. Graf Waldersee, Hamburg, Feb. 29.

## COCKRAN IS OUSTED FROM TAMMANY POSTS

### Dropped from His Committees and Not Likely to Return to Congress.

### QUARRELED WITH MURPHY

### Over Naming His Father-in-Law, Gen. Ide, a Knickerbocker Receiver, It Is Declared.

Congressman William Bourke Cockran, Grand Sachem of the Tammany Society and for years the chief adviser of Tammany Leader Charles F. Murphy, has quarreled with the latter, has been dropped from all the committees on which he served until last Tuesday, will probably not be sent back to Congress, and may be dropped from the society altogether. In other words, Mr. Cockran has duplicated his performance while Richard Croker was leader, when he quarreled with Croker and left the organization.

Although the elimination of Mr. Cockran practically went into effect last Tuesday night, when the new committees for the next year were announced, it was not until yesterday that any but those in the inner circle were aware of what had happened. At the meeting of the General Committee the names of the committeemen were read off very fast and very indistinctly, and the Tammany lesser lights did not realize what had happened until the printed lists appeared at the Wigwam yesterday.

Mr. Cockran was a member of the Committee on Resolutions and the Law Committee, and was Chairman of the Committee on Speakers and the Committee on Legislation. In addition, he was about the closest adviser of Leader Murphy and there was little of importance done at the Wigwam without his advice. If it was necessary that a telling speech be made, either for or against Hearst, for instance, Congressman Cockran was always chosen for the job, and the way in which he could slide backward politically, when the organization wanted him to, always won the admiration of friends and enemies.

The reason for the break between Cockran and Murphy has not been announced, nor are the actual facts ever likely to be known. When Cockran and Croker parted no reason was made public, and nobody knows to-day just what the trouble was. The most generally believed report concerning the present rupture, however, is that Cockran's insistence that his father-in-law, Gen. Ide, be appointed a receiver for the Knickerbocker Trust Company by Attorney General Jackson, and his efforts to make this and other similar matters organization affairs so angered the Tammany leader that he decided to eliminate Mr. Cockran. Besides wanting his father-in-law appointed receiver—as he afterward was—Mr. Cockran is understood to have insisted that his own law firm should be made counsel for the receivers.

Daniel F. Cohalan succeeds Mr. Cockran on the Committee on Resolutions, and there is every indication that he will occupy the place in the counsels of Murphy formerly held by the Congressman. For some time Mr. Cohalan has been prominent in the organization, both as an advisor of Murphy and as an ardent worker. It was Mr. Cohalan who was with the Tammany leader when the great "peace luncheon" between McClellan and Murphy took place at the Hardware Club.

Lewis Nixon will assume the duties that previously fell to Mr. Cockran as Chairman of the Committee on Legislation, while his place at the head of the Committee on Speakers will be taken by John J. Delany, ex-Corporation Counsel.

At present Mr. Cockran is representing the Twelfth Congressional District in the House of Representatives.

The old Tammany guard, who treasure the memory of Croker, smiled when they heard what had happened to Cockran. The latter has had a somewhat varied career politically, having in his time "played many parts." He has, at various stages of his political life, opposed Republicans, Democrats, mugwumps, and Independence Leaguers. He has also supported them all, though at different times, of course.

### TO FULFILL BRYANT BEQUEST.

### Corporation Caring for Historic Place Likely to Get the Money.

*Special to The New York Times.*

MINEOLA, L. I., March 13.—A report was current in the County Court House here this afternoon that the Public Reservation Society of Massachusetts, to which Julia Sands Bryant, daughter of the poet, left $10,000, does not exist. Miss Bryant owned property in Massachusetts. She died in Paris in July, 1907.

*Special to The New York Times.*

BOSTON, March 13.—Although there is no "Public Reservation Society" in Massachusetts, there is little doubt that the $10,000 bequest in the will of Julia Sands Bryant will be applied to the purpose for which it was intended.

The Trustees of Public Reservations, a private corporation, headed by President Eliot of Harvard, will probably be authorized by the court to receive the money. They have a large fund from bequests, and devote the income to caring for historic spots.

### NO TRANSFERS FRIDAY, 13TH.

### Pittsburg Real Estate Dealers Say Customers Feared Sinister Combine.

*Special to The New York Times.*

PITTSBURG, March 13.—For the first time since people began recording real estate transfers in Pittsburg not a single transfer was filed to-day—Friday, the 13th.

One broker late this afternoon arrived at the Recorder's office with a $2,000 transfer to file, but when he saw the blank page, without an entry, he lost his nerve and returned to his office, promising to appear to-morrow.

Brokers admitted that a number of patrons had refused to close deals on account of the Black Friday combination. Attachés of the Recorder's office say a business day without a transfer is a thing unknown in years.

ASHEVILLE, AUGUSTA, AIKEN & FLORIDA. Via Southern Ry. Pullman Drawing Room, Sleeping, and Dining Car Service. N. Y. Office, 1,200 Broadway.—Adv.

## MME. EAMES UNABLE TO SING.

### Kept Indoors by Pain in Knee She Hurt a Year Ago.

Posters in the lobbies of the Metropolitan Opera House last evening announced: "Mme. Emma Eames met with a slight accident which will prevent her appearance to-night. The rôle of Aïda will be sung by Mme. Marie Rappold."

The "slight accident" referred to is one which occurred nearly a year ago when, in playing with her dog, Mme. Eames slipped on a rug and sprained her knee. Since then she has had trouble on several occasions. Last Saturday her knee began to pain her again and steadily got worse until last night she found herself unable to sing. She sent word to the Opera House in the afternoon. The audience was one of the largest which the Metropolitan has held this year.

Mme. Rappold's Aïda has been heard once before this season. It has the defects of all of this singer's impersonations, chief among which is an absolute lack of plasticity. Mme. Kirkby-Lunn was the Amneris and Messrs. Scotti, Caruso, and Plançon were in the cast. Mr. Ferrari conducted. The chorus was scarcely audible in the second act.

### FLORETTA WHALEY ASKS AID.

### "Jere and Baby Are Ill," She Wires Grandmother, Applying for Money.

Mrs. Kaziah Whaley of Hempstead, L. I., grandmother of Floretta Whaley, who eloped with the unfrocked rector, Jere K. Cooke, last May, yesterday verified the report that the girl had communicated with her for funds.

Mrs. Whaley said she had received a telegram informing her that "Jere and the baby" were very ill and to send money.

This, she said, she did not intend to do, as she believed it to be a ruse on the part of the former rector to obtain money without working for it.

It is understood in Hempstead that this is not the first communication Mrs. Whaley has received from the runaways, and that she has aided the pair.

Report further has it that Miss Whaley and Cooke are destitute in their Western home. The young woman did not wire her address, but asked her grandmother to reply care of the Western Union Company, at San Francisco.

### LAKEWOOD MUSICIAN DROWNS

### Harry Herst Lost, but Hotel Guest Saves His Companion, Neil Hopper.

*Special to The New York Times.*

LAKEWOOD, N. J., March 13.—A heavy puff of wind overturned a sailboat in which Harry Herst of 158 Bayard Street, Brooklyn, and Neil Hopper, musicians at the Manhattan Hotel here, were cruising around Lake Carasaljo to-day. Many guests from the Laurel-in-the-Pines Hotel were strolling along the lake shore and witnessed the accident.

Among these was John Aspegren of the New York Produce Exchange, who leaped into the lake and swam toward the men, who were unable to swim. Herst sank before Mr. Aspegren reached him, and the rescuer turned to Hopper.

Mr. Aspegren was almost exhausted when he reached the man, and both might have sank had not Patrick Bray also dived in to the rescue. Between them, Mr. Aspegren and Bray managed to get Hopper ashore. All three were exhausted and weak.

A crowd of men dragged the lake, and Herst's body was recovered after several hours.

### LEAVE FRENCH MORALS ALONE

### French Academy Decides Not to Accept Miss Leclerc's Conditional Gift.

PARIS, March 13.—The French Academy to-day decided to refuse the sum of $20,000 bequeathed to it by Mlle. Louise H. Leclerc, who died in New York Feb. 25, 1907, to be used, according to the terms of her will, in "raising the moral tone of France." The Academy decided that the acceptance of this fund would be tantamount to promulgating the opinions of the testatrix, who regarded her native country as a sink of iniquity.

Miss Louise H. Leclerc's will was filed in Minneapolis in December. She left the greater part of her fortune to French institutions for the purpose of "raising France from her present low moral state." Miss Leclerc, who was in her eighty-third year at the time of her death, was the daughter of one of the young guards of Napoleon. She came to the United States about sixty years ago. She was known in this country as a private teacher, and in all her work she deprecated the modern French novel and its effect upon the morals of the people.

### MARCUS HANNA MARRIED.

### Opposed by Bride's Mother, Who Was Told After Ceremony.

*Special to The New York Times.*

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 13.—Marcus A. Hanna, a grandson of the late United States Senator Mark Hanna, a student at the Yale Sheffield School, and Miss Adele Pratt of Elmira, N. Y., were quietly married by Justice of the Peace E. O. Hull at his house in this city this evening, and later went to New York. The bridegroom sent a note to the bride's mother announcing the marriage previous to the departure of the train.

The bride's mother, Mrs. Agnes Pratt, is a friend of Charles G. Sanford of this city, and she and her daughter have spent much time here. Miss Pratt was said to be engaged to a man in Elmira, and her trousseau for her marriage was nearly ready, it is said.

Mr. Hanna and Miss Pratt met for the first time at a hop at Tufts College, Medford, Mass., a year ago.

Mrs. Pratt objected to Mr. Hanna's attentions on account of her engagement and of the many divorces in the Hanna family.

### JOHN BROWN'S WAGON BURNS.

### Made Many Pilgrimages in Slavery Crusade in It.

IOWA CITY, Iowa, March 13.—John Brown's wagon, in which he made many pilgrimages during his crusade against slavery, was destroyed by fire here yesterday.

The wagon was left here by Brown forty-eight years ago, and has been preserved ever since by Herbert S. Fairall, a pioneer newspaper man of Iowa City.

### Post Office Bill Passed.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Carrying the largest appropriation in all its history—$222,193,392—the Post Office appropriation bill to-day passed the House of Representatives. It carries $1,425,000 more than was reported by the committee.

## MAY BUILD SUBWAYS A SECTION AT A TIME

### Corporation Counsel Tells Estimate Board the Constitution Does Not Forbid It.

### MAY BEGIN WORK AT ONCE

### If It Is Found the City Can Spend $20,000,000 This Year—To Get Consents for East Side Route.

At its meeting yesterday the Board of Estimate approved the plans of the Public Service Commission for a subway through Broadway and Lexington Avenue from the Battery to the Bronx, and received a joint opinion from Corporation Counsel Pendleton and ex-Justice John Dillon to the effect that there was no constitutional objection to a subway being built in sections, the cost of each section only being a charge against the debt limit for the year.

Controller Metz presented the report of the special committee favoring the Broadway-Lexington Avenue plans. There was no debate, and a delegation from the Bronx, which had the impression that there would be a public hearing, was disappointed. Ex-Judge Dillon and the Corporation Counsel suggest that there is a way of building subways without contracting for the entire cost at once, and that is to contract for the excavation one year, for the next step of the work the next year, and so on.

"If the contract provides," the opinion says, "that the city may terminate it at any time without liability, and if the amount due at any time for the work done does not, with all other liabilities, exceed the constitutional debt limit, the court may hold that such a contract does not violate the constitutional provision."

Chairman Willcox of the Public Service Commission, when he heard of the action of the Board of Estimate in regard to the Broadway and Lexington Avenue route, said that he was much pleased. The commission will at once proceed to obtain the necessary consents. If it is found that the city can afford about $20,000,000 for subways this year, several lines may be begun at once, as the commission contemplates having other plans ready before long.

At the Board of Estimate meeting the Controller moved that the Fourth Avenue subway matter be referred to the same special committee that had had the other subway under consideration. Borough President Coler objected.

"The suggestion just made," he said, "embodies the idea of having the matter of construction and operation combined in one contract. That would kill the plan."

Mr. Coler's objection was sufficient to put the matter on the calendar again, and it will come up in its regular order. It is generally conceded that to combine the construction and operation, under the Elsberg law, would prevent any one from bidding.

Resolutions for the issuance of revenue bonds for $200,000 for the purchase of new fire hose were passed at the meeting.

### URGE CITY TO BUY TUNNEL.

### Civic Associations of Queens Say Belmont Tube Will Relieve Crush.

Nearly a thousand citizens of Long Island City and the neighboring towns of Long Island met last night in Schuetzen Park, Long Island City, and passed resolutions urging the immediate purchase by the city of the Belmont tunnel.

The meeting was called by the United Civic Associations of Queens County, and representatives were present from twenty-five different organizations.

The resolutions passed called for the appointment of a Committee of Three men from each of the organizations represented at the meeting to wait on the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Public Service Commission to press the purchase of the property.

An interesting argument touched upon by several of the speakers was that the building of subways through the congested parts of the city does not relieve congestion, but simply diverts traffic from one line to another.

Mr. Paris said more country would be opened up and more congestion relieved by building a subway three miles into Queens from the mouth of the tunnel for $3,000,000 than into the Bronx for $60,000,000.

"Every citizen in Queens should go down to the City Hall," said Judge Rasquin, "and if the officials don't pay any attention to us, we ought to pull the City Hall down on them."

### CITY CAN'T BUY TUNNEL NOW.

### New Legislation Necessary Before Steinway Tube Can Be Acquired.

According to Corporation Counsel Pendleton, under the law as it stands at present the city cannot purchase the Steinway Tunnel from the Belmont interests. The Corporation Counsel sent an opinion to the Mayor yesterday to that effect.

Mr. Pendleton refers to bills to be introduced in the Legislature authorizing the Board of Estimate and the Public Service Commission together to purchase such tunnels. The Public Service Commission is opposed to the purchase, as it thinks the Blackwell's Island Bridge will relieve any congestion in Queens.

### INVADED THE SENATE.

### New York Lawyer Didn't Know Rules and Scandalized Sergeant at Arms.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Walking calmly past a doorkeeper a stranger made his way into the sacred precincts of the Senate to-day, sauntered over to a lounge on the Republican side, and seated himself.

When discovered Sergeant at Arms Ransdell and Acting Doorkeeper Layton fell upon him. The reported discovery late last night of a suit case said to have contained dynamite, hidden in some shrubbery at the east end of the Capitol, had made the officers nervous. There was a brief colloquy, and the stranger was courteously but swiftly removed.

"I have his name," said Col. Ransdell, who declined to give it out for publication. "He merely was not acquainted with the customs of the Senate. He is a lawyer in New York."

The doorkeeper who admitted the stranger spent a sorry fifteen minutes with Col. Ransdell.

### Jersey Student Drowned.

EASTON, Penn., March 13.—Ivan R. Coffin, 22 years old, of Asbury Park, N. J., a student at Lehigh University, was drowned from a canoe in the Delaware River near this city to-day.

## FIRST AUTO IN JERUSALEM.

### Charles J. Glidden and Wife Create Sensation in Holy City.

JERUSALEM, March 13.—Charles J. Glidden of Boston and Mrs. Glidden arrived here to-day in a motor car from Haifa, Syria.

It was the first motor car ever seen in Jerusalem, and created a sensation among the populace.

### SUFFRAGE RIOT IN BUDAPEST.

### Socialists and Policemen Are Shot in Three Hours of Disorder.

BUDAPEST, March 13.—A Socialist demonstration in favor of universal suffrage developed here to-night. There were three hours of serious rioting, the Socialists using revolvers and stones.

Many policemen and rioters were wounded, both by revolver shots and stones. Fifty persons were arrested.

### FIRE SMOLDERS FOR A YEAR.

### Ruins of New Jersey Paper Factory Found Still Burning.

*Special to The New York Times.*

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., March 13.—It was discovered to-day that the ruins of the Janeway & Carpender wallpaper factory, destroyed by fire on March 13, 1907, are still burning. A great mass of paper was buried in the débris when the building collapsed, and at various times during the year flames have shot up from the site.

One of the residents became curious to-day to see if the fire could have lasted a year, and, digging down, found the mass of paper still smoldering.

The plant, which employs about 1,000 men, has been rebuilt at Highland Park, near here, having been in operation several months.

### GOT $1,000,000 FROM $250.

### Friedberg, German Swindler, Left Only $2,750 for His Creditors.

BERLIN, March 13.—The creditors of Sigmund Friedberg, a private banker and owner of a financial newspaper who disappeared from Berlin early in February, met in this city to-day to hear the report of the official receiver. They were informed that they would receive about one-quarter of 1 per cent. of their claims, the assets of Friedberg being $2,750, and his liabilities $1,000,000.

It appears that Friedberg began his extensive banking, newspaper, and brokerage operations on a capital of $250. He complained bitterly, in the beginning of his business career, of having had to pay the inheritance tax on $250,000 from the estate of his mother, and this assisted in inspiring confidence in him. It now appears that his mother never had any estate. Friedberg is still missing.

### 500 PERSONS POISONED.

### Ate Chicken and Waffles at Church Social—Many Stores Forced to Close.

UPPER SANDUSKY, Ohio, March 13.—Five hundred persons were made ill from ptomaine poisoning here last night at a social given by the ladies of the English Lutheran Church after eating chicken and waffles.

Many were not taken ill until after they had gone home, and by midnight all the doctors in the city were busy. To-day some of the stores had to close because all the clerks were ill. It is believed that no one will die.

### NORWAY'S CABINET TO QUIT.

### Ministers Resent Reception of Radical and Socialist Motions.

CHRISTIANIA, March 13.—As the result of the reception by the Storthing of Socialist and Radical motions of lack of confidence, the Cabinet has decided to resign.

Both motions were rejected by the Storthing, but the vote showed that the Government could retain office only by favor of the coalition parties, which the Ministers are unwilling to do. They will advise the King to summon the Radical leader, Gunnar Knudsen, to form a new Cabinet.

### FIRE WIPES OUT TOWN.

### Big Timber, Mont., Practically Destroyed by $100,000 Blaze.

BUTTE, Mon., March 13.—Big Timber, the countyseat near here, having 2,500 inhabitants, was practically destroyed by fire to-day. Both the business and residential sections of the town have been burned out, and many of the inhabitants are here to-night seeking shelter.

Meagre advices received to-night state that the losses will probably exceed $100,000. A high wind seriously hampered the work of the fire fighters, and at times the flames had free reign.

### BANK ROBBERS GET $2,500.

### Hold Up Three Men and Make Their Escape.

COFFEYVILLE, Kan., March 13.—Three mounted robbers to-day held up and robbed the bank at Tyro, Kan., of $2,500 and escaped, going toward Oklahoma. Three men were in the bank when the men entered.

They were ordered to hold up their hands. The robbers then gathered up all the money in sight and rushed out. A posse of citizens started in pursuit.

### MRS. SAGE ENLARGES ESTATE.

### She Buys a Farm Adjoining Her Sag Harbor (L. I.) Homestead.

Mrs. Russell Sage has purchased the William Moylan property adjoining her homestead estate at Sag Harbor, Long Island. The purpose of the new acquisition is said to be the enlargement of the Sage estate. The Moylan cottage is to be razed, it is understood, and the grounds are to be graded and turned into a broad lawn.

The Jermain, or, as it is now called, the Sage, homestead, is being remodeled, according to plans approved by Mrs. Sage last Fall. The work is nearing completion. When finished it will be one of the most comfortable, although by no means one of the showiest, places on eastern Long Island.

### PRINCE SAGAN IN PARIS.

### Was Reported to Have Sailed on Steamer with Mme. Gould.

PARIS, March 13.—Prince Helie de Sagan returned to Paris this afternoon. The Prince was thought to be on his way to the United States either in company with Mme. Anna Gould or on another steamer.

He left Paris March 10. Mme. Gould sailed for New York on the Adriatic from Cherbourg March 11.

## FOUR FOUND GUILTY OF CAPITOL GRAFT

### Maximum Punishment for Sanderson and Others Two Years' Imprisonment and $1,000 Fine.

### MOTIONS FOR NEW TRIALS

### The State of Pennsylvania Asserts That the Frauds in Furnishing the Building Aggregated $5,000,000.

HARRISBURG, Penn., March 13.—The jury in the first of the Capitol conspiracy cases to be tried gave a verdict of guilty to-night after six hours' deliberation as to every one of the four men who have been on trial here for the last seven weeks. There were two ballots taken.

The men found guilty are: John Sanderson, contractor; William P. Snyder, ex-Attorney General; W. L. Mathues, ex-State Treasurer, and James M. Shumaker, ex-Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds.

Motions for new trials were made in each case.

The jury came into court at 8:52. Only Sanderson and Snyder were in court when the verdict was given, and neither would talk. None of the counsel for the defendants would say anything about the case. The State's attorneys, when questioned, said that they were pleased at the result.

The maximum penalties for each defendant in this case are two years' imprisonment and $1,000 fine.

The four men were convicted of defrauding the State.

The prosecution of the alleged Capitol frauds is the indirect outcome of the great political upheaval in Philadelphia in 1905, which resulted, in the Fall of that year, in the election of W. H. Berry, a Democrat, to the office of State Treasurer. After Berry took office he startled the people of the State by charging that the books of the State Treasury showed that the Capitol, instead of costing $4,000,000, had actually cost $13,000,000.

A legislative investigation followed and the findings of the investigators were to the effect that there were great frauds committed in the furnishing and decorating of the building. The case was laid before the Attorney General, who began proceedings which resulted in the indictment of fourteen persons.

The prosecution of the other defendants will be taken up as quickly as the cases can be prepared. The State asserts that the frauds in the furnishings and decorating of the Capitol aggregated nearly $5,000,000.

When the jury retired all other cases in which the same defendants figure were continued until March 23, the day upon which the next trial will begin.

It was announced that the next case to be tred was one involving an alleged fraud of $17,789.70 in bills for metallic furniture. In this action, which is a charge of conspiracy, Congressman H. Burd Cassel, Architect J. M. Huston, and Snyder, Mathues, and Shumaker are named as defendants, with Frank Irvine, a traveling auditor, who made the measurements of the metal casing.

This trial will be followed by a false-pretense case involving Charles G. Wetter, the partner of George F. Payne, the builder of the Capital, some time in April, according to present plans.

### NEW GOLD RUSH ON.

### Surface Indications at Dulzura, Cal., Said to be Richer Than Goldfield.

*Special to The New York Times.*

SAN DIEGO, Cal., March 13.—There is a great rush on for the new gold fields just discovered at Dulzura, thirty miles east of this city.

The prospectors are coming from all over the southwest by hundreds. No clear statement is obtainable yet as to the exact value of the ore, but the assays are declared to show a free milling ore, running about $10 to the ton. There are many ledges reported bearing richer values. The rush on here now is equal to any in the history of this section.

The whole district is excited over the stories of great wealth which drift out from the new camp. Wyatt Earp, a famous gun fighter and miner, said to-day that the surface indications are far better than any he ever saw.

"It has Goldfield beat a mile," he said. "I have sent my samples to Los Angeles, and feel sure of great results. I predict the greatest boom in history."

Many have already crossed over the line into Mexico, and it is feared that this may cause trouble.

### COTTON MILLS CUT WAGES.

### 18,000 Operatives in Two New Hampshire Mills Affected.

BOSTON, March 13.—Notices announcing a reduction in wages of 10 per cent. were posted to-day at the mills of the Amoskeag Corporation, at Manchester, N. H., employing 14,000 persons, and at the mills of the Jackson Company and the Nashau Manufacturing Company, at Nashua, N. H., with 4,000 operatives.

### COPPER FURNACES BLOW IN.

### Biggest of Their Kind in the World Reduce 10,000 Tons Daily.

ANACONDA, Mont., March 13.—The reverberatory furnaces were started yesterday in the Washoe copper smelters of the Amalgamated Copper Company, and to-day the smelting of copper commenced. The smelters are said to be the largest in the world, reducing about 10,000 tons of ore daily.

The limestone quarries of the Amalgamated Copper Company west of Anaconda resumed operations yesterday.

### MINT RESUMES MONEYMAKING

### Order for $10,000,000 in $20 Gold Coins Needs Entire Force.

PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—Employes of the United States Mint who had been laid off are again at work, and a full force of 550 persons is employed.

Orders came from Washington for immediate coinage of $10,000,000 more in twenty-dollar gold coins. There will also be more coinage of silver and copper.

## BANKER WALSH GETS FIVE YEARS' SENTENCE

### Judge Anderson, Denying New Trial, Gives 70-Year-Old Defendant Minimum Penalty.

### RELEASED ON $50,000 BAIL

### Banker Was Lost in the Promoter When He Attempted to Serve Two Masters, Says the Court.

CHICAGO, March 13.—John R. Walsh, ex-President of the Chicago National Bank of this city, and convicted of illegal use of funds of that institution, was today denied a new trial by Judge Anderson of the United States District Court and sentenced to serve five years in the Federal Penitentiary, at Fort Leavenworth.

Attorneys for the defense entered a motion in arrest of judgment, which they argued for some time. It was generally thought that they would consume two or more hours in giving their reasons for the granting of this motion, but after Attorney Hart had spoken for thirty minutes, the court interrupted him, saying:

"I think you may place those matters before the Court of Appeals, Mr. Hart; you are making no showing here."

Turning to the prisoner, Judge Anderson said:

"Mr. Walsh, have you anything to say why I should not now pronounce sentence upon you?"

Walsh, without arising, shook his head slightly, and the court said:

"The character of the evidence and the character of the crime of which this defendant has been found guilty call for extreme judgment. The facts are, however, that this defendant is 70 years old, and that mere imprisonment is of itself so heavy a punishment in a case of this kind, I have concluded that the law will be satisfied with the minimum penalty, which is five years."

The court further directed that all the counts in the indictments be served concurrently, and further directed that the defendant pay the entire cost of the trial.

An application was immediately made to Judge Grosscup of the United States Court of Appeals for a supersedeas, which was granted, and Walsh was released under bonds of $50,000 pending the hearing of his appeal.

**Juror Palmer Assented to Verdict.**

Judge Anderson in denying the motion for a new trial spoke without notes, his decision requiring about one hour in delivery. He first took up the question of the alleged non-assent to the verdict on behalf of Juror Palmer, reciting the circumstances from the records of the court and declaring:

"It cannot be said for a moment that Palmer dissented from the verdict. To my mind there is but one construction to be placed upon the whole matter, and that is, that he assented to the verdict. If it had appeared to counsel for the defendant that he did not do so, they should either have asked that the jury be sent back for further deliberation or that it be discharged. No such request was made, and the court is, therefore, justified in saying that counsel took, at that time the same view as was held by the court, and that was that the verdict was entirely regular.

"It is claimed by the defense that while in a variety theatre one of the jurors in this trial removed the garter of an actress. What that has to do with this case, I cannot imagine, and why dignified counsel should bring it into this case is beyond my comprehension. It has no logical or possible relation to the deliberations of the jury."

On the point of alleged error committed during the trial, Judge Anderson said:

"Generally speaking, I want to say now that this defendant has had a fair trial. Nowhere did the court allow evidence to go before this jury which was calculated alone to prejudice the case against the defendant.

**No Man Can Serve Two Masters.**

"I had occasion to say in ruling upon a motion made by defendant's counsel that no man can serve two masters. To my mind that is the key of this whole situation. The defendant was a banker, and President of a National bank. The proof showed that he loaned to himself substantially seven-tenths or three-fourths of the entire assets of this National bank—seventeen or eighteen million dollars—which was invested not in properties which had been developed, but in railroads and other properties which he hoped to develop.

"The banker was lost in the promoter, the speculator, the railroad man. The evidence clearly establishes this. He owed a duty to the bank, his master. He attempted to serve those other interests, the other masters. To my mind there has been in recent times no clearer demonstration of the statement than that a man who is a banker ought to be nothing but a banker, and that until at least those bankers who own and manage National banks understand that when they serve their bank they cannot serve other interests—until that idea prevails cases like this will probably continue to arise."

How "Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford" joined the most extensive club in the world;

How the youngest State in the Union—Oklahoma—proposes to make safe its banking deposits;

What spot in his life Congressman Sereno Payne looks back to with bitter regret;

How to improve a small country place;

How our correspondent down at the Panama Canal lived at the Government's Hotel, and only got oranges once in a week for breakfast.

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## LUSITANIA'S RECORD RUNS.

### Cunarder Sets World's Mark at 627 Knots—Average Speed 23.17.

The Cunard liner Lusitania arrived yesterday with a new world's record for a day's run, but almost ten hours behind her record for the westward passage. This is her first trip over the long course, the distance covered having been 2,889 knots, while the course over which she made her record was 2,781 knots long.

On two days the Lusitania exceeded her previous best day's run of 618 knots. For the day ending at noon on Tuesday she made 627 knots, and for that ending at noon yesterday she logged 625 knots. The time of the voyage was 5 days, 4 hours, and 39 minutes, and her average speed was 23.17 knots an hour.

The Marquis and Marchioness of Headfort were passengers on the Lusitania, accompanying Peter F. Collier, who will entertain them at his country place at Etonville for the few weeks they are to spend here before going to California. The Marchioness was Miss Rosie Boote, a London Gaiety girl.

Others on board were Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kuan and Mrs. Kuan's mother, Mrs. Loke Yew. They are Chinese residents of the Straits Settlement, and are now on the way to visit in China. Mr. and Mrs. Kuan were but recently married. Mr. Kuan is a graduate of Cornell.

Other passengers were:

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown, William C. Cleghorn, J. H. Darling Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fleming, Mrs. W. Miller Graham, T. H. James, James C. Minton, Arthur J. Oakshott, A. A. Paton, Count Ward, H. Gordon Selridge, and Frank Wilder.

This is the first trip of the Lusitania since she was drydocked and overhauled. A number of stanchions were put in her midship section to reduce vibration.

## TOOK AUTO VICTIM AWAY.

### Brooklyn Man Denies He and Companion Were in Machine That Hit Car.

Shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday morning an automobile came dashing down Cumberland Street, Brooklyn, and crashed into an east-bound Fulton Street car operated by Motorman Stephen Grogan and Conductor Joseph Greenland. The occupants of the automobile, a man and woman, were hurled headlong to the street, where the latter lay unconscious. The man picked himself up, and, limping over to his companion, lifted her into the machine and took her to the Long Island Automobile Club at 360 Cumberland Street.

Patrolman Thomas Gibbons, who saw the accident, called an ambulance, and when it arrived he and Surgeon Meeks of the Cumberland Street Hospital went to the club, but were denied admittance. Gibbons insisted on getting the number of the machine and its occupants. He says he was told that the auto's number was 24,849, that the man was Allen Alderman of 248 Union Street, Brooklyn, and that his companion was a vaudeville actress who had been performing at a dinner of the club of which Alderman is a member. Her name, as given by the police, is Jessie Orterson of 532 East 118th Street, Manhattan, but this is said to be incorrect. Her real name, according to information derived at the club, is Jennie Anderson of 118 East Fifty-third Street.

Mr. Alderman declared yesterday that he had not figured in the accident, nor had his car been injured in any collision. He did attend the dinner, however, and the number 24,849 corresponds to that of his machine.

## 'NEWSIES' AID KRUGER FUND.

### Glick Flannigan's Proposal Meets a Generous Response.

At the Newsboys' Lodging House, at 14 New Chambers Street, last night the regular weekly entertainment took place. The boys had as their guests many prominent men and women. In the intermission "Glick" Flannigan arose and said:

"I've been thinking that we ought to do something for Chief Kruger, who got killed while fighting a fire. Let's raise a subscription and ask the guests to help."

The announcement met with applause and "Glick" passed around the hat. He collected $18.85.

The Kruger and Firemen's Memorial Fund has reached $13,844.21. Egerton L. Winthrop, President of the Board of Education, sent a subscription of $50.

## RENT FREE TO TENANTS.

### Landlord Dead, Leaving No Heirs—Tenants Maintain Property.

When F. S. Copley of 339 Richmond Street, Stapleton, S. I., collected his rents at 44, 46, and 48 South Prince Street, Flushing, early in December, 1906, he informed one of his tenants that his only relative, a brother, had died a month or so before, and that he was himself a bachelor. That same month Copley himself died.

No one has since appeared to ask for the rent of the apartments and the six families have lived rent free. The lucky families are those of Mrs. Catherine Cantwell, Mrs. Christine Nix, Frederick York, Louis Dietz, John Moore, and the Misses Brickets. They have maintained the property in good repair at their own expense.

## EAST SIDE WATER SCARCITY.

### Property Owners Meet and Ask for Relief—Allan Robinson Talks on Subways

Some three hundred members of the House and Real Estate Owners' Association met last night at New York Turn Hall, Eighty-fifth Street and Lexington Avenue, to discuss the grievances of owners of property in the Twelfth and Nineteenth Wards. A resolution was adopted requesting the association to petition the Mayor, the Water Commissioner, and the Aldermen for immediate and permanent relief from the scarcity of the water supply on the upper east side.

It was also stated that a deputation had appeared before the Senate Judiciary Committee in Albany to oppose the Saxe bill, which requires a statement of the consideration actually paid upon conveyance of real estate in this city, with the result that the bill is almost sure to be smothered.

Allan Robinson, President of the Allied Real Estate Interests, talked on subways. He said the Elsberg law of 1906 had proved a failure, but that the present amendments to it before the Legislature seemed to augur well. They call for the permission of private capital to build subways, the extension of existing subways, the franchises of the additions to expire with the life of the original franchise, the leasing of city-built subways for thirty-five instead of twenty years, and the granting of a franchise for not more than twenty-five years to private interests, with the option to the city to repurchase at the end of that period, on paying the original cost of construction.

**Raise Dressmaker's Invoice.**

I. F. Fischer, United States General Appraiser, gave a decision yesterday in the case of the Government against the eleven milliners, whose trunks were held on their arrival on the Oceanic the other day and sent to the Appraiser's Warehouse for further examination, as to the valuation of the goods. The decision orders an advance of 50 per cent. on the declarations of four of the importers and sustains the Appraiser's valuations in the seven other cases.

**Lawyer M. K. Flagg Accidentally Shot**

OSSINING, N. Y., March 13.—Mortimer Kennedy Flagg, a New York lawyer, was accidentally shot last night at his home in Briar Cliff Manor. Mr. Flagg was alighting from his automobile, when a revolver he carried was in some way accidentally discharged. The bullet entered his abdomen and it has not yet been located. Dr. M. W. Barnum of Ossining said Mr. Flagg's condition was serious.

**Russia with Britain in Macedonia.**

ST. PETERSBURG, March 13.—The British note sent to the powers proposing virtually the appointment of a permanent Governor of Macedonia has been received here, and is being carefully considered. It is understood that Russia will announce her willingness to support the proposition of Great Britain.

## BANKRUPT PETITION AGAINST C. W. MORSE

### Two Clerks of National Bank of North America Join Receiver in Insolvency Action.

### STOCK SALE FRAUD ALLEGED

### Clerks Charge Morse Sold Them Bank Stock Under False Pretense—His Lawyers Call Petition Illegal.

Charles A. Hanna, receiver of the National Bank of North America, and two ex-clerks of that institution filed a petition in involuntary bankruptcy yesterday against Charles W. Morse in the United States District Court. The amount of the bank's claim is $203,321, and the claims of the two other petitioners are for $8,810 each, being the price of thirty shares of the bank's stock which the ex-clerks say Morse sold to them under false pretenses.

That there will be a sharp contest over the bankruptcy petition was indicated yesterday when Mr. Morse's counsel went before Judge Holt and succeeded in getting the appointment of a receiver to handle the defendant's assets held up until the final adjudication of the bankruptcy petition. The right of all three of the petitioning creditors to maintain such an action under the Bankruptcy act was attacked. Mr. Hanna, it was said, could not join, as receiver, in such a petition, and the two ex-clerks were barred because their claims, being based on allegations of fraud, brought them within the realm of actions in tort, which cannot be made the basis of a bankruptcy petition.

**Want to Examine Morse.**

Thomas E. Wing, counsel for Receiver Hanna, told Judge Holt that the receiver was asked for not because there was any large amount of assets to be handled, but in order that an immediate examination of Mr. Morse might be had and more information obtained about his affairs. Mr. Wing and Mr. Hanna are confident of the right of the three petitioners to bring the action. The two clerks, they say, signed a waiver of any rights they might have by an action in tort to recover damages when, on Jan. 15, they demanded from Mr. Morse the money they paid for their thirty shares of National Bank of North America stock.

It was reported yesterday that the bankruptcy petition did not represent any general movement of the Morse creditors, and that the two clerks were the only persons who could be got to sign the petition with Receiver Hanna. Mr. Morse's counsel were unwilling to discuss any of the phases of the proceeding yesterday for publication, but one of them who did not want his name used said:

"Well, they have done about everything to him now that they can except to scalp him."

The petition is directed particularly against the assignment Mr. Morse made on Jan. 27 of his equity in the security outstanding on various of his obligations to Philip J. Britt, one of his attorneys, and the Fourteenth Street National Bank. He owed the bank $100 on a note and Mr. Britt about $50,000 for legal services. This assignment is set forth as one of the acts of bankruptcy committed. The petition brings out facts about the specific collateral which Mr. Morse hypothecated with the underlying creditors. This is a list of the collateral so hypothecated:

On claim of the National Bank of North America for $252,000:

2,500 shares of Butterick Company stock, 1,000 shares of Mexican Coal and Coke Company stock, 197 shares of Knickerbocker Real Estate Company stock, 185 shares of Arizona Smelting Company stock, 717 shares of Chelsea Realty Company stock, 1,000 shares of United Copper stock, a promissory note for $25,000 made by George W. Wilder and secured by twenty bonds of the Campbell Wall Paper Company, subject, however, to a prior claim of the National Bank of North America.

On claim of F. S. Moseley & Co. for $998,000:

100 shares of New Amsterdam National Bank stock, 395 shares of Garfield National Bank stock, 1,518 shares of Mercantile National Bank stock, 280 shares of Knickerbocker Trust Company stock, 3,500 shares of Hudson Navigation Company stock, houses and lots at 722, 724, and 726 Fifth Avenue and 149 East Fifty-ninth Street, subject to real estate mortgages of $820,000.

On claim of John E. Berwind for $572,500:

$138,000 par value bonds of the New York and Cuba Mail Steamship Company, $1,900,000 par value collateral trust bonds of the Consolidated Steamship Company, $87,000 certificate of the Hudson Navigation Company, representing the purchase of bonds in that amount; a mortgage for $350,000 on Mr. Morse's home at 728 Fifth Avenue.

**Real Estate Interests Assigned.**

There were also covered in the assignment to Mr. Britt Mr. Morse's interest in the Washington Heights Syndicate, the Bailey Syndicate, and the Broadway Syndicate, three real estate syndicates managed in his life by Charles T. Barney, ex-President of the Knickerbocker Trust Company. The petition specifies as a further act of bankruptcy that Mr. Morse on Feb. 5, 1908, allowed a judgment for $155,753 to be entered against him in favor of R. A. C. Smith, and that he committed other acts of bankruptcy not described in detail.

It was learned yesterday that the two co-petitioners with Receiver Hanna were Edward C. Pringle, who was loan clerk, and Edward B. Shotwell, who was a clerk in the foreign exchange department. They bought their National Bank of North America stock, they allege, on representations from Mr. Morse that it was going to appreciate greatly in value and that he had an offer for his own holdings at $500 a share, on which they could come in if they wanted. Both gave their notes in payment for thirty shares, and both the notes were discounted.

Receiver Hanna also signed a bankruptcy petition yesterday directed against the Mercedes Import Company, an automobile concern in which Mr. Morse was interested. With him were two supply houses appearing as creditors of the company. The claim of the National Bank of North America was upon demand notes aggregating, with interest, $50,739.40, the only security for which was the assignment by the import company of a claim against Mrs. Katherine Gould, wife of Howard Gould, for $4,500, and a claim against E. C. De Witt for $14,809.

## JEWELERS BEGIN LIQUIDATION

### New Amsterdam Bank a Creditor of the Frankels and Gattles.

Judge Lacombe of the United States Circuit Court, in an order which he signed yesterday authorizing Charles Hanna, receiver of the New Amsterdam National Bank, to enter the liquidation plan and agreement to disentangle the financial troubles of the jewelry firm of Joseph Frankel's Sons Company, B. J. Frankel, S. Frankel, and E. M. Gattle, who were unable to meet their obligations, by assigning the bank's claims against them to James G. Cannon, Louis Kahn, and John C. Van Cleef, liquidating Trustees.

The liquidating plan includes the firms of Joseph Frankel's Sons Company, Joseph Frankel's Sons, E. M. Gattle & Co., and Gattle, Ellinger & Hammel.

The Bankers' Trust Company, the depository for all the creditors, assented to the plan. The liabilities of the jewelry firms aggregate $4,547,890, and the assets over $6,000,000.

For Sore Throat
Nothing will do more good in so short a time with so little trouble as
Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar
Sold by Druggists
When it aches again try Pike's Toothache Drops

## AUTO RACES THROUGH TUNNEL A MILE LONG

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duplicate the run of the American car from here to Hanna before stopping again, though the country ahead is very bad and rather dangerous to travel at night even for one acquainted with its nature.

Automobilists here tried to dissuade them from making the attempt to run further after darkness fell, but they persisted that it was necessary to risk accidents by running at night if they were to make up the distance they had lost and were to reach San Francisco in the lead, as they hope.

### DE DION'S FIGHT WITH MUD.

### St. Chaffray Tells of a Long Night in Dante's Real Inferno.

*Special to The New York Times.*

CRESCENT, Ia., March 13.—The crew of the De Dion car have spent a second night in the fields without sleep, wet and cold in damp mud. The hell of Dante is situated between Logan and Crescent, Ia. It is not a river which conducts to the hell, but an ascent, narrow in every part, round like an egg, slippery as a soaped pig. Moonlight cannot reach the bottom of these encased ravines. A road has not yet been built over there, because nobody wants to go through except the De Dion car.

The Thomas car, always in front, had ice in this part of the country. For a change it was mud for the big and heavy De Dion car. There being no lift out of this hole, a rope 32 feet long and tackles were used. The car was going to the hell ten feet deep.

But what could three good willing men do in pulling an automobile out of such mud? They could hardly stand up without slipping. So they called the divinities of the country. These divinities are farmers. They did not sleep last night. They helped to pull.

After five hours of hard labor they found it was useless to pull. They brought teams. The middle of the rope and one tackle were fixed to a tree and one tackle to the car, and the end of the rope was ignominiously fixed to teams of horses, and the men helped the horses on the rope. To travel 100 yards cost six hours of work in the night.

These almost impassable roads were paralleled by telegraph wires which sang and laughed at our efforts. At 4 o'clock this morning the car sunk in six feet of mud, and the farmers were far away. The length of this sinister valley, half a mile, is a cemetery of mud. The men overwhelmed awaited the sun. Saint Chaffray said, "Go ahead with the shovels." Autran, after half an hour of hard work, said it was found useless. The mud was coming back faster than it could be shoveled out.

From the end of the valley came a loud voice:

"Is it a breakdown?" said the voice.

"We are in the mud," was the answer.

G. BOURCIER SAINT CHAFFRAY.

*Special to The New York Times.*

OMAHA, March 13.—St. Chaffray and others of the crew of the French racing car De Dion arrived in Omaha this noon to get repair supplies for their machine, which is laid up at Crescent, Iowa, with a broken driving pinion on the rear axle. The disablement was due to the fight with Iowa mud. They said they hoped to get into Omaha to-morrow morning.

"This race has already cost me nearly $10,000 out of my own pocket," said St. Chaffray, "but what is the difference, so long as I get to Paris first? It is the honor I am desirous to obtain, and if there is any fair means by which I can win I will do it. I think I am going to drive my car first into far-away Paris.

"The roads? I think I have said in French and English all that can be said about them. They are awful. I appreciate the efforts the people of Omaha are making to receive us, but I am sorry to say we cannot stay long with you. I would like to get away to-day if possible. That was why I drove all night trying to reach Omaha early this morning. I will leave for the West, anyway, early Saturday morning, and if I get good roads I will make some speed. We can run our car at eighty-five miles an hour."

He is liberal with the farmers who help him, but says the Indiana people charged him $65 for hauling him out of one snowdrift.

## PROTOS HAS TIRE TROUBLE.

### Extra Supply Tied Up at Seattle and Germans Are Handicapped.

*Special to The New York Times.*

AMES, Iowa, March 13.—On account of tire difficulties the German car Protos in the New York to Paris race advanced only thirty-eight miles to-day. The roads were very heavy, and the progress was very slow in the morning, but the car was running smoothly until tire trouble developed just beyond this city. The Germans were unable to make repairs on the road, and had exhausted their spare supply of tires. They were compelled to return to this city to get help and to remain here until to-morrow morning.

The car is in the unfortunate position of being in danger of constant delays on the road until it can obtain an extra supply of tires. Anticipating that the supply carried would be sufficient to take them through the United States, the supply intended for Alaska and Siberia was shipped by the Germans from New York to Seattle in bond. The heavy weight of the car exhausted all the tires before Chicago was reached, and it was impossible to have the others returned from Seattle without customs formalities being observed. During the interim the car is subject to mishaps that are difficult to repair without great loss of time.

## MOTOBLOC AT CEDAR RAPIDS.

### Baron Godard Likes His New Tires and Is Optimistic.

*Special to The New York Times.*

CEDAR RAPIDS, March 13.—After an eighty-one-mile run on roads that are somewhat improved over those which we have recently traversed I have reached this city with the Motobloc car. The machine has run well, and we are well pleased with the repairs made at Clinton and the substitution of other tires. We left Clinton at 7 o'clock in the morning and making only one stop for luncheon arrived here at 7:30 o'clock to-night.

I am better pleased with the outlook for my trip as I get acquainted with the peculiar conditions I have to face. Though we are now in the rear I have confidence in my car, and think that with fewer tire difficulties we shall soon overtake some of those who have gone before.

It will be many days before we reach Paris, and with twice the distance across America to travel in Siberia and Russia, we have as good a chance of getting to the finish first as those who are now far in the lead. CHARLES GODARD.

**Lecture on the New York-Paris Race.**

Orrel A. Parker will deliver a lecture on the New York to Paris automobile race at the Automobile Club of America on Tuesday evening, March 17. A series of stereopticon pictures showing the adventures of the cars in the snow and features of the route in Alaska and Siberia will be exhibited.

**New Haven Directors Meet Here.**

The Directors of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railway met yesterday afternoon at the general offices in the Grand Central Station. It was reported earlier in the day that the threatened strike of car workers would be discussed at this meeting. The board was in session several hours and adjourned until this morning. It was said at the office of President Mellen that nothing would be given out regarding it until the final adjournment.

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## COURT QUIZZES ORIENTAL'S LAWYER

### If You're Solvent, Why Don't You Pay Off Depositors? Justice Laughlin Asks.

### COLD VIEW OF NEW PLAN

### Appellate Division Justices Hear Attorney General's Appeal from Justice O'Gorman's Order.

With several members of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court keeping up a rapid cross-fire of questions, counsel for the two sides in the Oriental Bank row went before that tribunal yesterday to argue the appeal of Attorney General Jackson from the decision of Justice O'Gorman of the Supreme Court, dismissing the receivers of the bank and approving the plan of liquidation worked out in conjunction with the Metropolitan Trust Company. The argument was pretty lively at times.

Ex-Justice Martin L. Stover made the first argument for the State. He contended that Attorney General Jackson could not have acted under the law otherwise than he did in the Oriental case.

"It is a proposition unheard of heretofore," he said, "that a defendant corporation, confessedly insolvent, can, by an agreement of its own, made against the protest of the plaintiff and in violation of the law, utterly destroy the cause of action and defeat the purpose of the statute, namely the provision for an equal division of the assets under the direction of the court."

Attorney Beekman of Philbin, Beekman & Menken, for the bank, asserted that the bank was not insolvent, and laid stress on the fact that Superintendent of Banks Clark Williams, whose Examiners had found the bank with its stock intact and a surplus besides, had approved the plan of liquidation.

"But is there any evidence here that the corporation is able to pay its debts?" asked Justice Clarke from the bench. Mr. Beekman said that the Bank Examiner's report showed this, but he was interrupted again by the court:

"The corporation became actually unable to pay its depositors," said one of the Justices, "and admitted its inability by asking the Superintendent of Banks to take charge. That confession is not controverted here. Now you propose to pay by having a trust company pay for you; that's not paying your debts; that's getting some one else to pay them."

Mr. Beekman tried to protest that it was the bank which was borrowing money from the trust company to pay its debts, but he was interrupted again, this time by Justice Laughlin:

"If you are solvent, why don't you go on and pay off your depositors, or else resume business?"

Mr. Beekman said that was just what the company was trying to do, but he was again interrupted and asked where the statutory power to follow such a course came in. He said that, while he had found no statutory power, there was no prohibition.

Mr. Beekman was followed by David McClure, counsel for the depositors, who made a plea for reopening in their behalf, and ex-Justice Stover closed the argument. Decision was reserved.

## TO TEACH THE INDIANS.

### Rich Women Send Missionary to Instruct Them in Italian Lacemaking.

RENO, Nev., March 13.—Mrs. Bayard Cutting, Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Mrs. W. J. Sloane, Mrs. Potter Palmer, Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., Mrs. H. McKay Twombly, and Mrs. George Gould are among the organizers of a society for missionary work among the Indians near here, under the direction of Sybil Carter.

Part of the work will be done in Nevada. Miss Jessie Hemenway, representing the society, arrived here yesterday from New York to start the work of teaching Italian lacemaking and Roman cut work among the Indian workingwomen of the Walker River Reservation. She says the education of the native races along these lines has been very successful so far, especially among the Moquis of California.

## LOST COLUMN GRIST.

### Pearls, a Diamond Butterfly, and Money in It in One Day.

New York's aggregate of lost jewelry and money every day is a great deal more than the average man thinks. Here are a few, taken from THE TIMES's Lost and Found columns of one day:

A string of pearls with a three-stone diamond clasp, a roll of bills amounting to between $50 and $60, a diamond butterfly, three-stone gipsy ring, emerald and rhinestone pin, gold watch, lady's gold watch, and three gold pins, in a package containing also a lace waist, which may be as valuable as some jewelry.

**Clyde Liner Chippewa Is Disabled.**

BRUNSWICK, Ga., March 13.—The tug Coney brought in the Clyde liner Chippewa late last night. An accident had occurred to her steering gear, and the Apache was towing her to New York. A wireless message was sent to Jacksonville calling for a tug since the Apache had a heavy cargo and a northeast gale was coming up. The Katahdin will tow the Chippewa from here to New York.

**Cuts Off Sons in His Will.**

By the terms of the will of John Ford, who lived at 52 Erasmus Street, Brooklyn, filed for probate yesterday in the Kings County Surrogate's office, the testators, two sons, Andrew and Joseph Ford, are cut off with $5 each. He directs that $1,800 shall be expended in the erection of a monument in Holy Cross Cemetery, and leaves the remainder of his estate to be divided equally among his family, with the exception of the two sons. His house at 52 Erasmus Place he bequeaths to Annie Martin, who was for twenty-two years his housekeeper.

**Ivins Talks on City Government.**

William M. Ivins talked to the People's Institute in Cooper Union last night about municipal government. Mr. Ivins said in the course of his address that "one never gets squarely up against a problem until he has to solve it." Mr. Ivins said he himself favored the short term for the office of Mayor, and declared it was not the office, but the man in the office, who made the office of Mayor what it should be.

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## MUSICAL UNION OUT FOR HIGHER WAGES

### Though the Theatrical Managers Deny That They Have Yet Received Demands.

### NOT DEBATED, THEY SAY

### But a Committee Appointed at Their Meeting May Deal with the Matter — Ready to Drop Orchestras.

Officers and members of the Musical Mutual Protective Union discussed yesterday at their headquarters in the Yorkville Casino demands of the union for a new scale for the musicians in theatres. These demands will go into effect on July 1, and it was said yesterday that no trouble is expected, but they are to be enforced if they are not granted.

Members of the union said yesterday that the wages of the rank and file of musicians in the theatres have not changed for forty years, while the cost of living has been constantly increasing. Why wages do not increase is ascribed principally to the constant arrivals of musicians from Europe.

The new scale advances wages from $1 to $14 a week, according to the skill of the performers and the rates they are now receiving. The demands have no reference to grand opera orchestras or the musicians playing in the better class of musical dramas. According to the officers of the union their principal fight, if there is to be a fight, is for the rank and file, who are the worst paid.

Charles Burnham, manager of Wallack's Theatre and President of the Managers' Association, refused last night to comment on the new scale, saying that it must first be examined in detail. Mr. Burnham declared that the association had not yet received notice from the union of the demands.

"At the meeting in the Hotel Astor yesterday," he said, "one member rose to ask if there was any truth in the report that the Musical Union was to demand an increase, and I replied we had received no notification and that I did not consider that the demands were likely to materialize in any serious form, as I knew that the Metropolitan Opera contracts with its musicians still had two years to run.

"A committee was appointed, not to deal with musical matters, but for the Kruger Memorial, and to attend to certain matters of private interest. We are to have another meeting on Monday on the Kruger matter, and if we do not receive any notice from the union before that time this committee will probably be instructed to make inquiries for the association."

The general impression among managers is that if the unions demand more than seems reasonable, many of the theatres will follow the example of David Belasco and do away with orchestras altogether, thus making a considerable saving. One manager said last night that if it came to a break with the union he didn't expect any difficulty in raising an equally good orchestra from city musicians now unemployed.

## TWENTY-TON TREE REMOVED.

### Difficult Feat Accomplished, Putting Big Linden in a New Place.

An English linden, weighing more than twenty tons, was moved yesterday sixty feet in the yard of St. Patrick's Cathedral rectory in Newark. The tree was more than sixty feet in height and twenty-five inches at the maximum diameter of the trunk. A circle fifteen feet in diameter and seven feet deep was dug around the tree, some of the small roots being destroyed, but the larger ones remaining intact.

After this a trench eighteen feet wide and five feet deep was cut through the yard to the new site of the tree, and the linden was jacked up into a cradle formed of four pieces of timber, weighing each nearly 500 pounds. Then the tree was slid along beams laid on the side of the ditch, the cradle bearing the tree, until the new site was reached, when the tree was lowered into place.

## SING SING WARDEN EXPLAINS.

### Prison's Water Supply the Same as for the Last 35 Years.

*Special to The New York Times.*

OSSINING, N. Y., March 13.—Warden Frost denies that Sing Sing Prison has been stealing water from New York City, as Col. Michael Padden and his inspectors allege, though perhaps things might look a little suspicious, for several years ago, he said, there was the same trouble over the prison's water supply.

Mr. Frost said to-day: "In 1845 water was supplied under contract with New York. It was brought in through a four-inch pipe. Thirty-five years ago this was considered too small and an eight-inch pipe was put in and the four-inch pipe disconnected. Two years ago railroad improvements made it necessary to cut the eight-inch pipe temporarily, and we put the four-inch one in use again. Later the four-inch pipe was cut out again and the eight-inch pipe again connected. This is the condition to-day. We have two pipes, but are using only the larger one."

## SEIZURE BY GAME WARDENS.

### Thousands of Plover and Grouse Found in Cold Storage in Jersey City.

Four New Jersey Game Wardens seized yesterday in the cold storage vaults of the Merchants' Refrigerating Company, Second and Warren Streets, Jersey City, thousands of plover and grouse.

Wardens Dane, Hall, Ballingham, and Shorter came upon 265 boxes of birds in the warehouse. The sleuths took photographs of the birds, for future evidence, and sealed the boxes.

The fine for holding over game in violation of the law is $20 per bird. If the three New York City firms whose names were on the boxes are found guilty and fined the limit their penalties could be run up to $350,000.

**Denies Quigg Offered Jobs for Votes.**

Lemuel Ely Quigg, the "accelerator," did not offer Interborough jobs in exchange for support at the forthcoming primaries, according to a statement made last night by John A. Freund, President of the Workingman's Independent Republican Club, to which organization Mr. Quigg was reported to have made his offer.

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## SECOND CHILD TELLS ABOUT HITCHCOCK

### Rush of Men to Court to Hear the Testimony in the Case Against the Actor.

### MOTHER AIDS THE DEFENSE

### Comedian Nervous as the Trial Goes On—Defense Likely to be That He Was Fighting Blackmailers.

A great crowd of men again surged in the corridors of the Criminal Court Building yesterday in the hope of hearing the testimony in the trial of Raymond Hitchcock, the actor, and as many policemen as were on duty in the Thaw trial were necessary to hold back the mob. Only those favored by the court attendants got into the court room, but the benches were well filled by men, young and old, who craned their necks to hear every word that fell from the children on the stand.

Chief of the witnesses yesterday was thirteen-year-old Elsie Voecks, who was the companion of Helen Von Hagen in automobile trips to Mr. Hitchcock's home in Great Neck, L. I. She was only 11 years old when these trips were made. She told practically the same story as that related by Helen Von Hagen about the visit of Hitchcock to their room there.

The child said that she was born in Berlin, and had come from Germany with her parents, who took a farm in Pike County, Penn. Later they gave up the farm, and came to New York. They lived in Third Avenue, between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh Streets. She made friends on the street with Helen, with Bella McKenzie, and other girls, who have been mentioned in the Hitchcock cases.

The girl testified that she was in Hitchcock's room in Forty-first Street. On cross-examination she stuck to her story. She admitted that she was the sister of Hugo Voecks, whose arrest the actor caused on the charge of blackmailing. She also admitted that she had stayed at the home of Bella McKenzie.

The cross-examination of Helen Von Hagen took up a great part of the morning session. This child also stuck to her story in the main. There were discrepancies between it as she told it now and as she told it before the Grand Jury which indicted Hitchcock, but they were of a minor character, and did not concern the main facts she related.

Mrs. Mary Von Hagen, the girl's mother, was recalled for further cross-examination. She seemed more friendly to the defense. In direct examination on the day before, Mr. Garvan had used her merely to establish the parentage, the place of abode, and the date of the birth of her daughter. The defense used her testimony to some advantage yesterday. They got in evidence a letter written by Helen to Hitchcock at the dictation of her mother. The letter was dated Oct. 11, 1907, and told of the mother's unsuccessful effort to get her out of the custody of the Gerry Society. It also said that she did not think there was anything wrong in the automobile trip to Great Neck, as Helen had worked there in the family of a livery stable keeper for a month.

The mother admitted that she knew Hitchcock.

"Didn't you tell Mrs. Hitchcock," asked Mr. Stanchfield, "when you were in the corridor outside yesterday that you did not believe that Helen had done wrong with Mr. Hitchcock?"

The mother replied that she had said this, in substance, to Mrs. Hitchcock.

Mr. Garvan asked her if Carl Fischer Hansen, one of the Hitchcock lawyers, had not been her lawyer also. She said he had, whereupon Mr. Fischer Hansen insisted on having the whole matter in the record. He questioned the witness and in return she said that she had retained him about five months ago and had paid him a fee of $25.

Hitchcock's defense is beginning to show in the questions put on cross-examination. It is almost certain that he will allege that he was fighting blackmailers and that he took the girls, Helen Van Hagen and Flora Wishton, to the room in Forty-first Street to find out from them what they knew about the work of the men blackmailing him.

That the actor did rent the room in Forty-first Street has been fully established by Mr. Garvan. Mrs. Clara Cargnello, who took up the business of the house when Mrs. De Witt dropped it, testified yesterday that she had seen Hitchcock leave the place with a grip and depart in a carriage. Mrs. De Witt testified on Thursday that Hitchcock had paid her $8 rent and she had seen him there. The maid has also testified to his having been there.

The actor shows his anxiety as the case against him progresses. He was exceedingly nervous as the children were testifying yesterday, and his eyes never left them. Neither the Von Hagen nor the Voecks child looked at him.

An affidavit from the mother of the Von Hagen girl was shown in court yesterday by one of the lawyers for the defense. It was not offered in evidence. It makes an attack on one of the officers of the Gerry Society and mentions a "multi-millionaire now in Europe," but gives no name.

## FIGHTS WHEN CONVICTED.

### Woman Prisoner Had to be Carried from Court to the Tombs.

A series of screams, so loud as to penetrate into every courtroom in the building, brought the idlers in the corridors of the Criminal Court Building yesterday to the door of Part V. of General Sessions, where Judge Rosalsky was sitting. There was the sound of a sharp scrimmage inside the room, and then three court officers carried out a screaming, fighting woman.

She was Annie Greenfield, alias Florence Hart. She had sat stolidly through her trial for robbing a soldier, James McLaughran, on Jan. 29, but when the Judge sentenced her to Bedford Reformatory she shrieked, kicked, and scratched in her fury. Proceedings were practically suspended in the courts until they dragged her over the Bridge of Sighs.

The woman is only 24 years old, but has a bad record with the police. In 1903 she set fire to the House of Refuge for Girls, hoping thereby to make her escape.

## SUES WIFE; NAMES McCARREN.

### Dr. W. A. Dixon Accuses Senator in Divorce Proceedings.

*Special to The New York Times.*

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 13.—Dr. W. A. Dixon has brought suit against his wife for divorce, naming State Senator Patrick McCarren as co-respondent.

In August, 1906, Mary A. Dixon, then living in Flatbush, brought a suit against Senator McCarren for $200,000 for alleged breach of promise to marry. Mrs. Dixon represented herself as a widow and had a two-year-old son, whom she called Patrick H. McCarren, Jr. The defense of the Senator was that he had never promised to marry Mrs. Dixon, and that she was, as a matter of fact, the lawful wife of Dr. William A. Dixon, who was then living in Manhattan. In an affidavit submitted by the defense to Justice Dickey, Dr. Dixon swore that he married the plaintiff in Hamilton, Ontario, in December, 1893, and that they had never been divorced. Justice Dickey directed that Dr. Dixon testify before a referee, as the witness had stated his intention of going back to Canada to live. The suit was dropped after a time. It was reported several months ago that Dr. Dixon had begun a suit for divorce in Buffalo, but nothing further developed in the matter.

Samuel G. Whitehouse, personal counsel for Mr. McCarren, said last night that Mr. McCarren had not been served with papers in any suit, nor had he received any formal notice that any such suit had been begun.

## COMSTOCK MAKES AN ARREST.

### Horn, Found in New Haven, Charged with Sending Obscene Letter to Wife.

*Special to The New York Times.*

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 13.—Mrs. Joseph Horn of New York caused her husband's arrest to-day on a charge of imprisoning her on a false claim of infidelity, taking the trust funds of their little daughter from the banks, kidnapping the daughter, and leaving the wife alone to earn a living. Anthony Comstock took up the woman's case. The daughter, Lucia, was recovered here, and Horn was locked up under $1,500 bonds.

He was arrested technically on a charge of sending an obscene letter to his wife. He was traced through the letter.

Anthony Comstock said last night that on the strength of an indictment found on March 3 by the Grand Jury charging Joseph Horn with writing scurrilous letters and postal cards concerning his wife, from whom he was separated some time ago, to her friends in this city, he had himself arrested the man in New Haven yesterday. He will be brought to this city for trial on Monday, Mr. Comstock says. Mr. Comstock said he knew nothing of other charges against Horn.

## S. P. C. A. ON VIVISECTION.

### Action That Won't Hurt Science Favored—Committee to See Doctors.

The Board of Managers of the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals announced yesterday that it had adopted this resolution:

> Resolved, That the Board of Managers of this society favors such legislation for the control of vivisection as will not interfere with reasonable, proper, and necessary scientific investigation.

The board further announced that on the motion of Mr. Van Rensselaer, the President had appointed a committee of three, consisting of Cortland F. Van Rensselaer, Henry Bergh, Jr., and Jefferson Seligman, to confer with the medical profession in regard to the matter and report to the board.

The medical profession, as represented by the foremost surgeons in the city, has already announced itself as opposed to any lawmaking on the subject of vivisection, holding that Section 10, Chapter 375, of the Laws of 1876, providing for "properly conducted scientific experiments," covers the case. This section is declared by the advocates of regulation to be inoperative and absurd, in that it provides no penalty for irresponsible vivisection, and it has been found impossible to prosecute anybody under it.

## ODELL MEN IN HUGHES CLUB.

### It Is to be the Anti-Parsons Body in the Twenty-seventh District.

The Odell forces have started another fight on the Roosevelt-Woodruff-Parsons machine by organizing a "Hughes Club," or anti-Parsons organization, in the Twenty-seventh Assembly District, where Alderman B. W. B. Brown is the present Republican leader. The organization meeting was held at the Cadillac Hotel, and these officers were elected: President—George E. Kilgore; Vice Presidents—Oscar B. Thomas and Dr. E. Valentine Buck. Louis S. Grenner is the Odell representative and Chairman of the Executive Committee.

There are now open fights in the Twenty-fifth, Twenty-seventh, and Twenty-ninth Assembly Districts. These three districts constitute a Congressional district, from which the State Committeeman is Henry E. O'Brien. Mr. Odell hopes to take Mr. O'Brien's seat in the State Committee away from him at the coming primaries.

### Esser Freed; Rearrested.

William Esser, the former employe of the E. W. Bliss Company of Brooklyn, who was arrested some days ago on a charge of stealing parts of a torpedo from the company, was discharged by Magistrate Dooley in the Adams Street Court, Brooklyn, yesterday. A few hours later the Magistrate issued a warrant for Esser's rearrest on complaint of Frank M. Leavitt of 277 Gates Avenue, who alleged that Esser had stolen a working model of the Bliss-Leavitt torpedo, a patented affair, together with tools and parts used in its construction for "the alleged purpose of selling the same to the German Government." Esser was arrested last night.

### Earl of Leitrim May Identify Brother.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 13.—The Earl of Leitrim has cabled a request that the body supposed to be Francis Patrick Clements, his missing brother, be held at a local undertaker's rooms for identification.

## CITY'S CONGESTION SHOWN IN MODELS

### Public Service Board Impressed by Exhibit of Maps and Charts of Crowded Sections.

### PLAN TO MOVE FACTORIES

### Commissioner Bassett in Favor of Segregating Them—College Men to View Exhibit To-day.

"This exhibit is worth the careful study of every thinking citizen of New York," said four of the members of the New York Public Service Commission last night after spending two hours in examining the exhibit of the city's congestion in the American Museum of Natural History. The members of the commission present were Edward M. Bassett, William McCarroll, Milo R. Maltbie, and John E. Eustis—the entire body save Chairman Willcox. They were met by Henry C. Wright of the City Club, Benjamin Clarke Marsh, Executive Secretary of the exhibit, and John P. Fox, an expert transportation engineer.

Conducted by Mr. Marsh the visitors first inspected the two cubes in the centre of the hall, one with faces a tenth of an inch square, representing the original purchase price of Manhattan Island for $24, and the other, with faces nearly five feet square, representing the present taxable value of the same territory.

"Now, Mr. Commissioner," asked some one in the party, addressing Mr. McCarroll, "doesn't that look as if we ought to be able to borrow a little money for subways?"

A general laugh followed.

The Commissioners inspected maps and charts, some indicating the condition of the manufacturing district of Manhattan at present, and others illustrating what was proposed. The first map showed the lower end of Manhattan Island simply packed with manufactories as is no other equal space in the world.

Mr. Wright showed them a chart which pictured the Bronx so densely populated, as it will soon be, he said, at the present rate of growth, that, figuring on the present basis of travel for two hours in the morning and two hours in the evening, in future years subway trains on fourteen thoroughfares would be so crowded down to Forty-second Street that no one in that section of the city would be able to use this means of getting downtown.

Mr. Fox showed the board the suspension monorail system. They were informed that it could be constructed for about one-fifth of the cost of a subway and that trains could run faster than subway trains, with no practical danger, as it would be impossible for the cars to leave the track. The system is now in operation successfully in Berlin.

Turning from the exhibit showing the fire hazard blocks downtown, Mr. Bassett said:

"I am more deeply impressed than ever in my life by the pressing necessity of limiting the height of office buildings, and spreading the factories over a wider territory. I think manufactories should be segregated as much as possible, and the district below Fourteenth Street relieved."

"I have seen just such a room as that in an east side tenement," remarked Commissioner Eustis, when the party stood before a typical tenement dwelling room which, even to the rickety bed, broken chair, and other details, had been brought out from the congested district to show how the "other half" live.

Mr. Maltbie commended the City Club and Congestion Committee on their exhaustive study of the situation as shown by the many maps, charts, and illustrations easily understood even by the laymen.

To-day will be observed as College Day at the exhibit.

Yale will have a delegation of about forty, Bryn Mawr will send twelve, the University of Pennsylvania ten, and Syracuse University, Mount Holyoke, Wellesley, Smith, Cornell, Hamilton, Vassar, and Harvard will each send representatives. The students will examine the exhibit at 10 o'clock in the morning and at 3:30 a conference will be held. Dr. Edward T. Devine will read a paper on the "Economic Causes and Results of Congestion," and Henry C. Wright, Secretary of the City Club, will speak on "Congestion and Transportation."

Secretary Wright of the City Club stated yesterday that the club had become convinced that probably the most practical plan for relieving the congestion downtown lies in moving the factories to Queens and the outskirts of Brooklyn. He declared that it was likely that a commission would be appointed to study the situation in all its details and make a report on some practical plan for providing suitable homes for working people and to bring about this removal of the factories if that was found to be the best solution of the problem.

### Jackson to Face Grand Jury.

Attorney General Jackson said yesterday afternoon that on Monday he would go before the special Grand Jury that had the Ice Trust evidence before it and explain the position of the Attorney General's office in seeking to withdraw the case.

**THE ANARCHISTS OF NEW YORK CITY.**

Since Secretary Straus began the movement against the Anarchists of this country Stephen Bonsal has been engaged in a study of the Anarchists who are to be found in and near New York City. He has learned many things of importance as well as of interest. His results will be contained in an article in THE SUNDAY TIMES—an article well worthy of every one's attention.—Adv.

## MAYOR SILENT ON CHARGES.

### Lunches with Gen. Bingham—Messenger Here with the Papers.

A messenger came down from Gov. Hughes in Albany on Thursday night to serve on Mayor McClellan and Police Commissioner Bingham the charges of inefficiency and neglect of duty and violation of the law preferred against them by the Rev. Charles H. Parkhurst, as President of the Society for the Prevention of Crime.

Commissioner Bingham yesterday had a talk with the Mayor. Since neither of the officials had received the charges in time to look over them, they would not discuss them.

Commissioner Bingham first saw the Mayor in his office at the City Hall for a few minutes. They evidently made an appointment to meet at luncheon, for at noon the Commissioner went to the Postal Telegraph Building, Broadway and Murray Street, where is the Hardware Club, at which the Mayor eats his luncheon daily.

Commissioner Bingham waited around the corridors a while before Mayor McClellan came in. They greeted each other cordially, the Mayor apologizing for keeping the Commissioner waiting. They had luncheon in a private dining room, which had been ordered before their coming, remained together an hour, and came out both in very good humor.

Gov. Hughes has notified both officials to make a reply on or before March 23. It is probable the Governor will appoint a commissioner to take testimony.

D. Parkhurst said yesterday afternoon that he had nothing further to say at present on the matter of the alleged nonenforcement of the excise laws.

## DIAMOND BROKER IN PRISON.

### He Pawned a Necklace and Used the Proceeds to Speculate.

Charles A. Weber, a diamond broker, of 533 West 158th Street, who a short time ago was thoroughly trusted by the foremost dealers in jewelry in the city, was sentenced yesterday by Judge Crain in General Sessions to Sing Sing for not less than one year and six months and not more than two years and six months, having been convicted on Monday of stealing a necklace valued at $6,500.

He obtained this necklace, of diamonds and pearls, from Ludeke & Heiser, jewelers of 170 Broadway, on Oct. 19, 1906, giving them to understand that he had a purchaser for it. In the succeeding weeks he gave evasive answers to their inquiries, but finally admitted that he had pawned it, and speculated with the proceeds.

### BROOKLYN NEWS NOTES.

Patrolman James J. Mannix of the Amity Street Station was yesterday charged with felonious assault in the Butler Street Court by John Kinally, a watchman employed by the New York Dock Company. Kinally accused Mannix of attacking him with a club on the pier at the foot of Pacific Street. Mannix also made a charge of assault against Kinally. The hearing was adjourned until Thursday.

On behalf of manufacturing interests in the Greenpoint section, Senator McCarren yesterday called on Mayor McClellan and urged that action be taken toward carrying out the proposed dock improvements on Whale Creek. It is expected that the Mayor will give a hearing in the matter next week.

Luke D. Stapleton, who was recently appointed a Justice of the Supreme Court to succeed the late George B. Abbott, has been sworn in and will enter upon his duties on Monday. It was announced yesterday that he would appoint George J. S. Dowling, a young lawyer and McCarren Democrat, as his secretary.

Flatbush property owners have protested to the city authorities against the proposed widening of Church Avenue, from Flatbush Avenue to East Eleventh Street. They claim that if the street is widened many fine old shade trees and hedges will be destroyed.

While suffering from nervousness, Mrs. Ida Ferrier, 28 years old, attempted suicide at her home, 647 Franklin Avenue, yesterday afternoon by inhaling gas in the bathroom. She was revived and arrested. The police say she first tried to leap from the roof of her home, but was prevented by her husband. Mrs. Ferrier has been a public school teacher in East New York.

Patrolman Arthur Reicke of the Fifth Avenue Police Station, Brooklyn, risked his life yesterday in trying to stop a runaway horse at Ninth Street and Sixth Avenue. The horse, attached to a milk wagon, was galloping down Ninth Street when Reicke leaped to its head and held on, though he was dragged a block. His uniform was ripped and his shoes torn from his feet, but he escaped injury.

## MOTHER UPBRAIDS GIRL KIDNAPPER

### "You Shall Pay for This," Mrs. Wilson Cries to Miss Chambers, Arrested in Trenton.

### BABY WEEPS AT PARTING

### Girl Who Ran Away with Him Begs to Kiss Him Good-Bye—Hints at Elopement Plot.

*Special to The New York Times.*

TRENTON, N. J., March 13.—Mary Chambers, the young woman who disappeared from New York last Saturday, taking with her George Wilson, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Wilson of 75 Bank Street, with whom she had been on friendly terms, was found and arrested here to-day.

According to the police, Miss Chambers sought to give the impression that an elopement had been arranged between herself and Wilson, and that in coming to Trenton she was carrying out a prearranged plan, which was upset by a mislaid letter.

The policemen who had heard Miss Chambers's story watched with interest the meeting between her and Mrs. Wilson, who came here with her husband to get their son. The little boy was in the back room of the police station sitting contentedly on the knee of a big policeman when the mother entered the room. She gave a scream and ran toward the child, grabbing him up into her arms and hugging and kissing him. Then she saw Miss Chambers seated in the Captain's room adjoining.

"Oh, but you shall pay for this!" she screamed at the young woman.

Wilson tried to quiet his wife, and Miss Chambers stretched out her arms toward little George, asking that she might kiss him good-bye. Mrs. Wilson refused to let her touch the child, but the youngster wept and screamed when he found himself being taken away from the young woman. At last a policeman took him from his mother and let Miss Chambers kiss him farewell.

"Good-bye, Mary," said the child when Miss Chambers surrendered him to the policeman.

Mrs. Wilson grabbed him again, and with her other hand seized her husband's arm.

"Don't you dare shake hands with that woman!" she ordered, glaring at Miss Chambers, as she pulled Wilson away.

Once the Wilsons and the child had gone Miss Chambers lost all her composure and burst out sobbing, and said she would kill herself when she got a chance.

The young woman was traced from New York to Trenton by Detective Sheehan

## ENCROACH ON FIFTH AVENUE.

### Appellate Division Decision May Compel Removal of Obstructions.

If the Court of Appeals upholds a decision returned by the Appellate Division yesterday on the proposed widening of Fifth Avenue by removing sidewalk obstructions, the changes will affect Martin's, the Waldorf-Astoria, Sherry's, the Hotel Gotham, the Hotel St. Regis, the Knickerbocker Trust building, and many others.

Justice Laughlin, who wrote the opinion for the Appellate Division, declared the two ordinances had for their design the ornamentation of Fifth Avenue in the public interest. He adds that the ordinances did not permit the use of the street for private purposes, particularly structures as the one outside the Cafe Martin stoop line.

### Baker Inquest Off for a Week.

No session was held at Hackensack yesterday of the inquest into the death of Walter F. Baker of Boston, who died in the home of Frank H. Hurd at Bogota, N. J., on Oct. 27, because Prosecutor Koester of Hackensack had concluded that Mrs. Mulligan and Harry Tanner, the couple who were with Harry Lee and Baker when Baker was taken ill, could add no evidence of importance. The inquest was adjourned until March 20.

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# JOHNSON'S BOOM MOVING TO CHICAGO

### Friends of Minnesota Governor Looking for Headquarters There.

## NEW YORK BRANCH LIKELY

### Governor Is Taking No Part In the Movement—His Mail Heavy Since Committee Indorsed Him.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 13.—Headquarters will be established in Chicago in connection with Gov. Johnson's boom for the nomination for President.

Gov. Johnson admitted to-day that Frank A. Day, his secretary, was in Chicago investigating quarters. But the Governor was not sure that headquarters would be opened. He said that if they were opened, and an aggressive campaign was decided upon, those in charge would open additional headquarters in New York. Washington also may be included. The Governor, however, disclaims any connection with what is being done. Also he disclaims any knowledge of what line of activity is contemplated.

Since the action of the Democratic State Central Committee in indorsing him for President, Gov. Johnson's mail has increased to vast proportions, and the telegrams are many. Most of these come from the East. Frequently conferences are held here with Eastern visitors.

## DENIES HE BOOMED TAFT.

### Dalzell Swears Allegiance to Knox and Explains Dinner Remarks.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Representative Dalzell denied to-day that he had declared for Taft at the Yale alumni dinner last night, and predicted the Secretary's election. He reaffirmed his allegiance to Senator Knox's candidacy.

Mr. Dalzell dictated the following official statement:

"The declaration the newspapers attributed to me as made at the Yale banquet last night in connection with the candidacy of Secretary Taft is a gross exaggeration. I did not use the language that the newspapers have published.

"It is absurd to give political significance to a complimentary allusion made at a college banquet regarding a fellow-alumnus.

"The utmost that can be said of any reference that I made to Secretary Taft as a Presidential candidate was that if he should happen to be nominated and elected by the people, it would be a source of pride to Yale University and Yale men.

"I expect to go as a delegate to the National Convention in the interest of Senator Knox. Pennsylvania has no other choice than Senator Knox for the Presidency."

Just what happened in the interview between Knox and Dalzell in all likelihood never will be known. Knox merely wrinkled his brow, and looked thoughtfully reminiscent when asked. There are rumors that Dalzell's unfortunate speech will cost him his position as delegate to the Chicago Convention.

Senator Hemenway, almost violent to-day, declared he did not say in any conversation that "the next ticket would be Roosevelt and Fairbanks."

It was reported to-night that Dalzell may lose his seat as the result of his utterances. A meeting, it is said, is to be held in Pittsburg to-morrow to consider the removal of his name from the primary ticket, changes on which can be made until midnight to-morrow. It is further intimated that the name of Denis O'Neil of McKeesport will be substituted for that of Dalzell, provided Knox gives his sanction.

## NO PREFERENCE, SAYS NEW.

### Chairman Declares Committee Will Decide Contest on Its Merits.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—"As a member of the National Committee I can say that the committee will hear all contests and will decide each case on its merits, sustaining justice and party regularity with no thought as to the preference of the contestants for any candidate or candidates."

This, in part, is the answer that Harry S. New, Chairman of the Republican National Committee, makes to the recently published assertions that the committee "will be controlled" by one candidate or combination of candidates, and that, therefore, the Presidential nomination to be made at Chicago will be determined practically by the National Committee.

## TAFT SPEECHES NEXT WEEK.

### Will Address Hampton Society and Friendly Sons of St. Patrick Here.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Secretary Taft will leave here Sunday for New Haven, where, on Monday, he will attend a meeting of the Yale Corporation. He will then go to New York, where, on Monday night, he will address the Hampton Society for the Education of the Negro and Indian.

Tuesday evening he will address the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick at St. Patrick's Day banquet in New York.

## HUGHES LEADS STEAMER VOTE.

### Ballot by the Apache's Passengers Results Hughes 29, Taft 21.

*Special to The New York Times.*

ALBANY, March 13.—A wireless message to Gov. Hughes from the steamship Apache dated at sea to-day and received via Atlantic City, N. J., gives this information:

"Test Ballot—Hughes, 29; Taft, 21; Bryan, 7, and Johnson, 1."

The message was signed "Passengers."

The Apache arrived at Sandy Hook at 8 o'clock last night from Jacksonville.

## EXPECT TO INDORSE GRAY.

### Delaware Democratic Convention Will Be Held April 14.

DOVER, Del., March 13.—The Democratic State Central Committee selected April 14 as the date for the Democratic State Convention for the election of delegates to the Democratic National Convention. The convention is expected to indorse Judge George Gray for the Democratic nomination for President.

### Nominated on 699th Ballot.

MARION, Ind., March 13.—Charles H. Good to-night was nominated for Congress on the 699th ballot by the Eleventh District Republican Convention.

## SACRED DOCUMENT FOUND.

### Chinese Emperor's Marriage Contract Returned by a German Family.

BERLIN, March 13.—What is considered to be one of the most sacred documents of China is said to have been returned to China recently by a German family related to one of the soldiers who took part in the expedition to Peking in 1900. This paper is the marriage contract of the present Emperor, signed February, 1889.

After the Boxer uprising vain searches were made by the Chinese diplomatic representatives in all countries for this document. It had been given by the German soldier in question to one of his relatives as a curious piece of loot. The contract was recognized as an official deed by a German functionary who has served a long time in China. It was then submitted to an expert and returned to Peking.

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## BRITISH SOCIALISTS LOSE.

### Liberals Throw Them Over in Vote on Unemployed Workmen's Bill.

LONDON, March 13.—The Liberals and the Socialists came to a clash in the House of Commons to-day, and undoubtedly influenced to a certain extent by Lord Rosebery's speech yesterday against Socialism, the Liberals threw overboard the Unemployed Workmen's bill of the Labor Party. The majority against it was 149.

The measure has become known as the "Right to Work" bill, because a vital clause makes it the duty of the local authorities to provide work for all unemployed persons, and failing this provision of work, the authorities shall provide maintenance for unemployed men and their families. The bill is frankly admitted to be Socialistic in character.

"All we want is money, and we propose to get it from those bursting money bags of unearned increment which the Government is too timid to attack," was the phrase used by one of the labor leaders in the debate to-day, and it sums up very well the general trend of the speeches of the supporters of the measure.

As a result of a Cabinet meeting the Government, under the virile leadership of Herbert H. Asquith, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Acting Premier, decided to risk a probable split with the Socialist element. Mr. Asquith and John Burns, the labor leader in the House, both asked the House to reject the bill.

Mr. Burns declared that the passage of this bill would be most destructive to the social fabric. The Government already was doing all that could reasonably be expected to improve the condition of labor. If it had made a mistake it was that it had gone too far and exalted fustian and corduroy above the frock coat and the top hat.

## RUSSIA WANTS MME. STEIN.

### Papers for Her Extradition Are Prepared in St. Petersburg.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 13.—The American Embassy to-day certified to the indictment in this city in December of Olga Stein, a Russian woman, on charges of swindling and embezzlement. The woman was being tried on these charges when she fled from this city three months ago.

The certificates of the indictment will be forwarded to Washington and be used as the basis for extraditing Mme. Stein from New York. The documents in the case make no mention of the betrayal of military or political secrets, reported in the dispatches received from New York concerning Mme. Stein.

Olga Stein was arrested in New York March 9 at the instance of the Russian Government, charged with the larceny in Russia of $50,000.

## NO BATTLESHIPS FOR CZAR.

### Duma Committee Declares Against Expenditures by Present Marine Ministry.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 13.—Before the Committee for National Defense the drafting committee presented a report recommending the abandonment of the plan for the construction of new battleships in 1908, and asked for an increase of appropriations for torpedo boat destroyers, submarines, and hospital ships, and the acceleration of their construction.

"In view of the situation in the Near East and the constant possibility of sudden complications," it says, "there may be decisive value in rapid naval operations."

In defending its recommendation, the drafting committee says the Admiralty at present is disorganized, that the Russian shipyards are not ready, and if the appropriations are granted before they are reorganized, the new navy will be as unreliable as the old. It recommends reconstruction of the fleet contingent upon the reform of the Ministry of Marine.

## FLAMES RAGE AT BAHIA.

### Many Buildings Consumed with Loss of $1,000,000—Fire Unchecked.

BAHIA, Brazil, March 13.—A great conflagration is raging in the business section of this city, and the firemen seem to be unable to check it.

Already thirty-three buildings have been consumed, with a loss estimated at $1,000,000. There have been several fatalities.

Bahia is the principal commercial city of Brazil after Rio Janeiro. It is about 800 miles northeast of Rio Janeiro, and has a population somewhat in excess of 200,000.

## AMERICAN CIPHER STOLEN.

### French Employe of Bucharest Legation Gets Secret Diplomatic Code.

BUCHAREST, March 13.—It was learned here to-day that a copy of the cipher of the American State Department, used in private correspondence between Washington and the various American Legations and Embassies, was stolen recently from the American Legation here by a French employe, who escaped to Constantinople.

It is understood that this is the second time the American cipher has been obtained by strangers within the past few years. The previous occasion was at St. Petersburg, where spies got photographic copies from the American Embassy.

### Notes of Foreign Affairs.

BERLIN, March 13.—With the view of bringing about a more thorough development in the German colonies the Federal Council to-day adopted a proposition for the construction of 900 miles of new railroads in German Southwest Africa and the Kamerun. The African appropriations now amount to $37,500,000, and this sum has been raised by loans spreading over six years.

ROME, March 13.—Gen. Giovanni Battista Degiorgis, who for some years past has been Chief of the International Gendarmerie doing service in Macedonia, died in this city this morning. His end came unexpectedly. The General was on leave of absence from Macedonia, having returned to Rome early in January. He was born in 1844.

OREL, Russia, March 13.—An attempt made by five criminals under sentence of death to escape from jail here to-day resulted in seven men losing their lives. The prisoners, at a given signal, attacked the jail Wardens and disarmed them. They opened fire on the prison guards with the Wardens' rifles. The guards returned the fire and quickly shot the five prisoners to death. Two of the Wardens also were killed.

TANGIER, March 13.—A steamer left here this afternoon for Saffi, a port in the possession of Mulai Hafid, with a Government expedition on board for the purpose of recapturing the place. The expedition consists of some artillery and 1,500 men under the banner of Abd-el-Aziz.

## TO DEVELOP UNIVERSITIES.

### Plan Is to Organize So That Colleges Will Become Subsidiary.

*Special to The New York Times.*

APPLETON, Wis., March 13.—A vast scheme of National college and university development was announced at a meeting of the State college Presidents at Madison. According to President Plants, the Wisconsin representative on Rockefeller's college endowment organization, the plan in brief is to organize universities of the country along common lines and to prevent any two in the class being nearer than 100 miles. Colleges in that radius will be forced to become subsidiary to the universities and be known as junior colleges, carrying work only to the level of the end of the sophomore year in the university.

The university then will complete the four years' course and give post-graduate work. The universities, in addition, will have the freshmen and sophomore years of college life, so it is expected that the smaller schools will be eliminated gradually by their inability to cope with the schools in the university class.

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# REAL REASON WHY ROOSEVELT WON'T RUN

### He Feels Himself Like Augustus Caesar, and the Republic Must Be Saved.

## REVEALED BY COL. HARVEY

### In the Colonel's Model Edition of a Newspaper, as a Conversation of the President with a Friend.

In illustrating his Bromley foundation lecture on journalism at Yale University on Thursday Col. George Harvey, editor of Harper's Weekly, made use of his ideal of a newspaper, which he called The Bromley Morning News. On the front page appeared an article attributed to "Our Special Correspondent at Washington," purporting to tell the fundamental reason why President Roosevelt would not accept a renomination and reelection. It said:

The following is a true statement of the real position of President Roosevelt as defined by himself in conversation with a distinguished politician with whom he has been acquainted for more than twenty years:

Mr. Roosevelt makes no secret of his bitter feeling toward those residents of New York who have expressed disapproval of his conduct. He regards all of his critics as representatives of the money power and as utterly unscrupulous in the efforts they have made and are still making to discredit him and his policies. He regards as especially reprehensible their attempt to fix upon him any portion whatever of responsibility for the recent financial panic and the general business depression which has ensued. To what he considers fair and honorable criticism he raises no objection, but he draws a sharp line between criticism and misrepresentation, so base in his view as to amount to vilification.

Mr. Roosevelt recognizes that the persistency of these attacks has influenced minds that formerly were honest and fair. He does not believe, however, that this influence has extended beyond the immediate vicinity of Wall Street. He is satisfied that the whole people beyond a certain restricted area are as enthusiastic in support of him and his policies as ever before. This support he believes he has fairly earned by his resolute championship of every conceivable proposal designed to perpetuate the rights and privileges of the masses. He even considers that, on the merits of the case as it now stands, he is fairly entitled to a renomination from both the Republican and Democratic Parties. Moreover, he would welcome a test of his personal popularity before the people with glee, and has no doubt whatever, if he were in a position to avail himself of the opportunity, he could convince his detractors conclusively that New York, after all, is only "a speck on the map of the United States."

The President's most poignant regret is that circumstances render it impossible for him as a patriot to make the fight. In reaching this definite and final conclusion he was influenced doubtless to some degree by the fact of his announcement that he would not accept a renomination and by his sense of personal loyalty to Secretary Taft. But the chief consideration was one that has not hitherto been guessed. Mr. Roosevelt is a student of history, and especially the history of the lives of great men whose careers have made a serious impress upon the political fortunes of their countries. The one vital lesson that he has drawn from his studies is that re-election to a third term, in the present peculiar condition of the public mind, would endanger the Republic.

He feels that, temperamentally, he strikingly resembles Augustus Caesar. He fully appreciates that his impulse is as strong as was that of the Roman Emperor to seize all the power he can get, in order to accomplish quickly any laudable purpose in the interest of the public. Indeed, experience has convinced Mr. Roosevelt's judgment that this tendency within himself, to absorb authority for the performance of good, is irresistible.

Moreover, he feels certain that his triumphant re-election by an overwhelming majority would arouse in the minds of the people a positive insistence that he remove all obstacles to the carrying out of their will as interpreted by him. With characteristic prescience he foresees a possible situation which could be resolved only by the acquisition of complete and undivided personal authority even less gradually than it was obtained by his prototype in character and temperament, the Roman Emperor to whom he referred. On patriotic grounds, therefore, as a lover of free institutions, and from an earnest desire to perpetuate the great Republic in substantially its original form he would not, under any conceivable circumstances, accept a renomination from either or both of the great political parties.

To the above Col. Harvey appended the following extract from the Dictionary of Classical Literature, edited by Harry Thurston Peck:

Augustus is described as having been something below the middle size, but extremely well proportioned. His hair was inclined to curl, and of a yellowish brown; his eyes were bright and lively. His health was throughout his life delicate, yet the constant attention which he paid to it, and his strict temperance in eating and drinking, enabled him to reach the full age of man. In his literary qualifications, without at all rivaling the attainments of Julius Caesar, he was on a level with most Romans of distinction of his time, and it is said that both in speaking and writing his style was eminent for its perfect plainness and propriety. His speeches on any public occasion were composed beforehand, and recited from memory.

Like his uncle, he was somewhat tinged with superstition. He was deficient in military talent, but in every species of artful policy, in clearly seeing and steadily and dispassionately following his own interest, and in turning to advantage all the weakness of others, his ability has been rarely equaled. His deliberate cruelty, his repeated treachery, and his sacrifice of every duty and every feeling to the purposes of his ambition, speak for themselves, and yet it would be unjust to ascribe to a politic premeditation all the popular actions of his reign. Good is in itself so much more delightful than evil that he was doubtless not insensible to the pleasure of kind and beneficent actions, and perhaps sincerely rejoiced that they were no longer incompatible with his interests.

Among the various arts to which Augustus resorted to gain the good-will of his people, and perhaps to render them forgetful of their former freedom, one of the most remarkable was the encouragement which he extended to learning, and the patronage which he so liberally bestowed on all by whom it was cultivated. To this noble protection of literature he was prompted not less by taste and inclination than by sound policy, and in his patronage of the learned his usual artifice had probably a smaller share than in those other parts of his conduct by which he acquired the favorable opinion of the world. Augustus was, in fact, himself an excellent judge of composition and a true critic in poetry, so that his patronage was never misplaced or lavished on those whose writings might have tended to corrupt the taste and learning of the age. The Court of Augustus thus became a school of culture, where men of genius acquired that delicacy of taste, elevation of sentiment, and purity of expression which characterize the writers of the age.

## TRADERS DENOUNCE JAPAN.

### Niu-Chwang Chamber of Commerce Says There Is No Open Door.

NIU-CHWANG, Manchuria, March 13.—The General Chamber of Commerce of Niu-chwang has entered a strongly worded protest against the attitude of the Japanese Government regarding the construction of the Hsinminyun-Fakumen Railroad, which it declares is contrary to the treaty of Portsmouth. Foreign trade interests in Manchuria are being seriously injured by the Japanese attitude, the chamber declares, and the idea of the "open door" in Manchuria is in no sense observed.

PEKING, March 13.—There was a further conference here to-day between Baron Hayashi, the Japanese Minister to China, and Na-tung and Yuan Shih Kai, representing the Peking Government, over the Tatsu Maru incident. No final understanding was reached, however, and the discussion of the matter is to be continued.

China has presented her side of the case to the diplomatic representatives in Peking of the several Powers.

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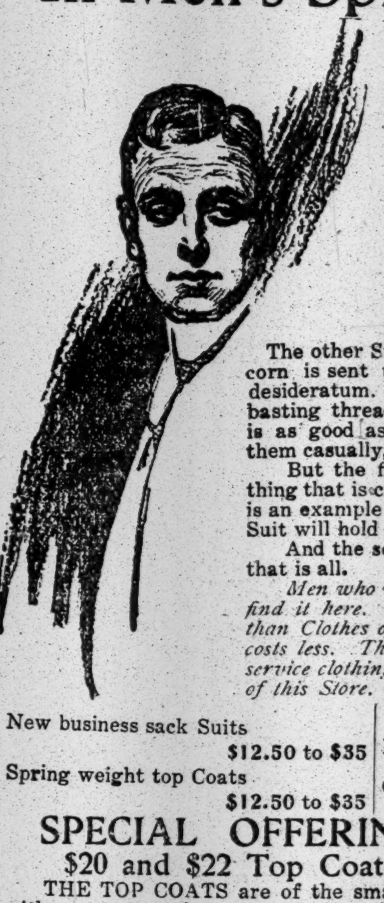

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| 40c. illuminated Mats at | 25c | $7.50 round Mats at | $3.98 |
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| 75c. round and square Mats at | 49c | $3 Arts and Crafts Runners at | $1.98 |
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Main Floor, Elm Place Entrance.

$5 Silk Petticoats at $2.98.

SIXTY-EIGHT MORE of the fine taffeta silk Petticoats will be ready to-day at a wonderfully little price. In the new spring colorings, such as reseda green, Copenhagen blue, light blue, pink, jasper, light brown and various pretty changeable effects.

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Second Floor.

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5c., regularly 8c. Taffeta Ribbons, ½ inch width; high luster, in white, pink, blue, cardinal and black.
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25c., regularly 33c. Taffeta Ribbons, 5¼ inches wide, superior quality, comes in all the hair bow and new millinery colors.

Main Floor, Bond Street.

# BONNER AS A CITIZEN AND FIRE FIGHTER

### Dead Fireman Regarded the Call of Duty as Imperative in Any Walk of Life.

## COOL IN TIMES OF DANGER

### He Was a Strict Disciplinarian, but Just to All and Never Harbored a Grudge.

News of the death of Fire Commissioner Hugh Bonner was received by all branches of the department yesterday morning with sincere sorrow, as he had gained the respect of all who had come into contact with him during his forty-odd years as a firefighter. John R. Sheehan, who has been for many years Assistant Secretary at Headquarters, in speaking of his late Chief yesterday, said:

"Commissioner Bonner had the respect and admiration of all the old hands of the department. He was a strict disciplinarian and would not overlook any breach of duty, no matter by whom committed. I have never heard a single instance where he was accused of dealing unfairly with any one in the department."

Three weeks ago Mr. Bonner suspended Supt. Joseph Burke of the Combustibles Bureau and Building Supt. Alexander Stevens for being eleven minutes late in reporting at their offices.

Friends of the late Commissioner at Fire Headquarters yesterday said they had tried to dissuade him from accepting the position on account of his health when it was offered to him by Mayor McClellan, but he had replied that he had never refused the call of duty and would not then.

The death of Deputy Chief Charles W. Kruger at the Canal Street fire affected the Commissioner greatly, as the two had been friends for many years. Mr. Bonner had great faith in Kruger as a capable man in fighting big fires, and for his control over the men.

When Mr. Bonner was made Commissioner many persons expected to see him dismiss Fire Chief Croker because the latter had taken Bonner's job ten years ago, but there was never a suggestion of that kind from the new Commissioner, who said, when questioned on the subject, that Croker was too good a fire fighter to be dispensed with.

During his long career, Mr. Bonner invented the battering ram, the wall cutter, the tin roof cutter, the hose hoist, cellar and sub-cellar pipes, the life net, and many other appliances for fighting fire and saving life.

**His Cigar a Signal of Victory.**

His judgment was sound, and he never got worried or lost his nerve, no matter how big a fire was. On arriving at a fire, the first thing he did was to get to the heart of the fire and see what was best to be done. Then he would retire to the middle of the street and send his orders to the battalion chiefs.

He always had a big cigar in his mouth at a fire, and kept it there unlighted until the fire had been got under control. When he was seen to strike a match and light up, it was a signal to his subordinates that the enemy was in hand.

While Mr. Bonner was Fire Chief he spent his mornings at his office, the afternoons on inspection trips, and his nights at the Westmoreland, at Seventeenth Street and Fourth Avenue, where he was always ready for a call. When asked how he managed to get in any sleep, he would reply tersely, "Between the acts."

The Commissioner believed that dumbwaiters, elevators, and air shafts were sources of great danger in cases of fire in tenement houses, and when the Tenement House Committee held a meeting in the old Criminal Court House in November, 1894, he pointed out the necessity of having fireproof staircases in all tenement and apartment houses as well as exterior fire escapes.

**Flags Half-masted; Funeral Tuesday**

The flags at City Hall and all the public buildings in the city were half-masted yesterday out of respect to Mr. Bonner.

The funeral services will be held on Tuesday morning. The body will be removed from Mr. Bonner's late home, 636 West End Avenue, to the Church of the Holy Name, Ninety-sixth Street and Amsterdam Avenue, at 10:30 o'clock. The selection of pallbearers and other details of the funeral are in the hands of Chief Croker.

The interment will be in Calvary Cemetery, after a solemn high mass is celebrated at the church.

Chief Croker, Deputy Commissioner Whitney, Battalion Chiefs William T. Beggin, Thomas King, and Thomas F. Barrett were among the callers at the Bonner home yesterday.

The body will be escorted to the grave by a detachment of officers and men from the Fire Department. Deputy Fire Commissioner Whitney called on the family yesterday afternoon to offer the sympathy of the department.

Speaking of the late Commissioner yesterday at the City Hall, Mayor McClellan said:

> More than any other man, Hugh Bonner was responsible for giving to the New York Fire Department its reputation as the best fire-fighting force in the world. He came into the department with the volunteers and arose from the ranks on his merits. When he was appointed Chief all New York said that the right man had been chosen. It was the privilege of my administration to call him back from private life to the service of the department, first as Deputy Commissioner and then as Commissioner.
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> With all his fellow-citizens, I lament the loss to the city and feel, moreover, a deep personal regret that my administration is deprived of his invaluable co-operation. In personal valor, in the intelligent handling of men and apparatus as the head of the uniformed force, in the contributions he made to fire fighting and fire prevention his record stands unchallenged in this country. His name and his works will be remembered as long as our Fire Department exists.

Fire Commissioner Bonner leaves a widow and four sons and two daughters, none of whom is married.

### Avenue A School Fire Drill.

In accordance with resolutions adopted at a recent meeting of the local School Board of the Fifteenth District, providing that each member shall visit one of the schools of the district and have a fire drill, School Inspector Benjamin Blumenthal held a fire drill yesterday at Public School 96, in Avenue A, at Eighty-first Street. The 2,500 pupils were marched into the street in two and a half minutes.

## FOR THE TABLE.

It is not yet too late for the delectable pumpkin pie. Pumpkin is 5 cents a pound.

Rhubarb is in the market, and can be had for 10 cents a bunch, though there are only a few stalks to the bunch. Old-fashioned rhubarb sauce is a particularly good Spring dish.

For service with Spring lamb one housekeeper serves the peas in white turnip cups, the turnips boiled and scooped out. White turnips are 35 cents a half peck and yellow ones 20 cents. Another housekeeper makes different color schemes with the yellow turnips, and has been known to serve delicately cooked white onions in the yellow turnip cups with a dinner of roast beef. Fresh peas are 35 cents a quart. String beans are 30 cents.

Apples are plentiful, and the best and most reasonable for table use are the greenings. Here is another apple salad: Peel and quarter six greening apples, putting them in a nest of lettuce. Over them sprinkle a Spanish pepper chopped fine, and a cup of walnuts and almonds, also chopped. The woman who first combined this salad used a French dressing with it, but many people would prefer a mayonnaise.

Oyster crabs, which cost 18 cents an ounce, are one of the delicate dishes which women like for their luncheons, and which men are apt to think not worth the trouble of eating. They are excellent served in this way: With a pint of crabs mix half a cup of sherry, a tablespoonful of butter, a teaspoonful of salt, and quarter teaspoonful of paprika. The pan is set over the fire while the sherry is lighted and allowed to burn two minutes. The crabs are served very hot with a Bearnaise sauce. This is the sauce made of shallots, terragon vinegar, and melted butter, seasoned with salt, Cayenne pepper, and a little chopped parsley. It is a good chaffing dish dainty, the sauce being prepared before.

Shallots or eschlots are 25 cents a quart.

Tarragon vinegar is a good thing to have always in the house. It costs 15 cents a half and 25 cents a pint bottle.

It is easy to arrange for a St. Patrick's Day desert off hand. One has only to decorate one's ice cream and there it is. The cream may be served in little paper cases, and these may be appropriate for the occasion or they may be simple white ones, or the cream may be served on the cream dishes. The decoration is the main thing, and this is done with angelique and cherries which have been put in creme de menth. Three of the cherries will combine into a very respectable shamrock, and the stem is of the angelique, which is much the same as citron but of a more decided green. Citron can be used. If whipped cream is spread over the top of the ice cream a better effect is produced. Angelique is 40 cents.

Cherries in creme de menth are 65 cents a bottle.

Chrystalized mint leaves are good for green decorations and can be kept indefinitely. They are expensive, $2 a pound.

# ROOSEVELT ATTACKED BY SENATOR BACON

### Georgian Says to Refuse His Bidding Means Fight for Political Existence.

## HE DOMINATES CONGRESS

### In House Willett Says He Has Done More to Destroy Business Than Any Man in Our History.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—In one of the bitterest attacks ever made in the Senate upon the President, Senator Bacon of Georgia to-day announced what he termed the usurpation of legislative power by the White House. He referred immediately to the series of conferences that preceded the drafting of the bill by which the Sherman Anti-Trust law is to be amended.

Although representatives of the executive branches of the Government were present at these conferences, he pointed out, to listen to the suggestions of the agents of special interests, no member of the Senate or the House was invited to participate.

"This usurpation of power by the White House has gone on for years," he said. "It has gone on so unblushingly and so boastingly that we have become accustomed to it."

The Senator read extracts from newspapers, detailing the conferences with the President. He showed that, aside from the Cabinet officers present, the conferrees were representatives of J. P. Morgan & Co., the big railway systems, and steel trust and the labor interests. The bill, he said, was framed by the President and his advisers, but really was dictated by the special interests.

Senator Bacon then read from another newspaper clipping to the effect that the President was about to attempt to force certain legislation through at the present session. He read a list of the bills enumerated, and insisted that it would be a physical impossibility for Congress to consider wisely such a mass of legislation before the early adjournment this year.

"Still we are to be browbeaten into rushing this through," he thundered. "That is, the Senators on that side are to be whipped into line. I saw a cartoon the other day which depicted the President, big stick in hand, putting an extinguisher over some ten or a dozen Senators. I could not recognize the Senators, for only their feet and legs were shown."

The Senator drew a parallel between this situation and that of a foreign country, which he visited last year, and said:

"The Parliament was a Parliament of puppets, completely under the domination of one man, before whose will they had to bow."

Senator Bacon contended that President Roosevelt so far dominated the Congress of the United States that to refuse his bidding meant a fight for political existence.

When he had finished the Senator paused for a moment, and then, addressing the Chair, said:

"Perhaps I should apologize for this arraignment. It may have been imprudent. In fact, I may have said more than I should have said."

Tillman and other Democratic Senators protested against the apology. Tillman was especially wroth.

"It's the truth, isn't it?" he demanded. "Then, why apologize for the truth?"

After a whispered colloquy with other members of his party, Senator Bacon practically withdrew his apology.

"I will admit it may have been imprudent," he said. "Some of my friends do not believe I should apologize to the Senate. What I have charged is true—absolutely true."

No serious attempt was made by the Republicans to defend the President. Practically all sat with the pleased "I've just-eaten-the-canary" expression.

In the House Mr. Willett of New York denounced the President. He insisted that the distressing effects of the panic of 1907 were still being felt.

Mr. Willett charged that President Roosevelt had "done more than all other Presidents and all other public men in the history of the country to shake the confidence of the people in our form of government, and has done more than any one man in our Nation's history to destroy legitimate business and shatter confidence among the people."

## CAB BALKS IN TIMES SQUARE

### Then Runs Away from Chauffeur and Smashes Into a Shoe Store.

A taxicab, which seemed possessed to outbuck a Buffalo Bill cow pony, attracted a crowd to Times Square yesterday that it took a score of policemen to disperse after traffic along both thoroughfares had been blocked for about ten minutes.

The taxicab, which was on its way through Forty-second Street, gave a short gasp at the corner of Broadway, then settled down in the centre of the car tracks. Several bystanders and a policeman shoved the cab to a convenient position alongside the curb. Then the chauffeur crawled underneath to locate the trouble. He touched something, what he doesn't know, but it made the cab buck, then jump, and finally it went off on its own hook, leaving the chauffeur flat on his back in the street.

The crowd which had congregated was soon so thick that the unguided machine had to do some tall dodging to get around the corner, but it succeeded without hurting anybody. Apparently enjoying its freedom the machine ran zig-zag across Forty-second Street into the show window of French, Shriner & Urner's shoe store, smashing the plate glass and coming to a halt half inside the store.

Just at this juncture somebody shouted "pickpocket!" and everybody clapped his hand over his pocket, while the police began scattering the crowd.

### Edison to Start for Florida To-day.

Thomas A. Edison, who was operated on for aural abscesses about two weeks ago, has left the Manhattan Eye, Ear and Throat Infirmary and returned to his home in West Orange, N. J. He is said to be practically recovered. With Mrs. Edison he will leave to-day in a private car for Florida. They will remain South for several weeks.

### Inspector Fined for Primary Fraud.

Harry Melrose of 2 Ridge Street, a deputy of Jacob Neustead, Republican leader of the Fourth District, was convicted yesterday in Special Sessions of violating the primary law by manipulating votes during the last elections while acting as a Primary Inspector. He was also among the Notaries who pleaded guilty in 1906 in connection with the forged Hearst petitions. He was fined $150.

## BRIDGE CARS RUN AT A LOSS.

### So B. R. T. President Tells Utilities Board—Coler Raps Through Trains.

Still another hearing was held by the Public Service Commission yesterday on the present method of operating trains over the Brooklyn Bridge in rush hours. Among the witnesses were President Winter of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit, Borough President Coler, and Neils Poulsen, the man who has been agitating in favor of his own plan of operation for several years.

Mr. Winter testified to the arrangements the company had with the city, and to the amounts it paid in toll for the privilege of sending its cars across the bridge. Chairman Willcox brought out that while these sums were considerable they were deducted from the franchise tax levied on the company, so that, in reality, the company paid nothing in tolls. Mr. Winter in reply insisted that the operation of cars across the bridge was a very poor proposition for the company, and had resulted in a deficit of $2,500,000.

Borough President Coler urged a return to the old system of operating the local trains in rush hours instead of the through trains. He said that the new plan had been amptly tested and that it was shown to be a failure in three essential details: Capacity, convenience, and decent treatment of passengers. He advocated a four-track "stub-end" terminal, or, in other words, the Poulsen plan.

The matter was adjourned until March 25.

## RECEIVER FOR TROLLEY CO.

### The Westchester Traction Company Unable to Pay Interest on Its Bonds.

Judge Ward, in the United States Circuit Court yesterday, appointed Edward G. Benedict receiver of the Westchester Traction Company, which formerly operated a trolley line at Ossining, in a suit brought against that corporation by the Industrial Contracting Company of Delaware.

The action is to recover $32,059.08 advanced during the last four years to the Westchester Traction Company to enable the latter to pay the accruing coupons on its outstanding bonds. For this amount the Westchester Traction Company gave a demand note on June 30, 1907, which it has since refused to pay.

The company's liabilities consist of $436,000 of bonds outstanding, bearing 5 per cent. interest, and it owes upward of $10,000 for unpaid interest coupons. It is also stated that Attorney General Jackson has brought an action to annul the charter on the ground of non-user.

## DEMANDS BETTER SERVICE.

### Union Railway to be Improved—More Trains on Third Avenue Elevated.

At its regular meeting yesterday the Public Service Commission adopted a final order directing the Union Railway, which operates the surface lines in the Bronx, thoroughly to overhaul its entire equipment and repair its tracks and trolley wires.

The Interborough was directed to run three additional seven-car trains on the Third Avenue elevated line in the rush hours. The company must "satisfy or answer" a complaint that there are too few ticket booths at the Brooklyn Bridge station of the Subway.

## SECOND AV. LINE CURTAILED.

### Cars Stopped at Bayard Street by Loss of Third Avenue Lease.

Second Avenue surface cars now run only as far south as Bayard Street; formerly they continued on down to the Post Office.

The New York City Railway Company lost the right to turn their Second Avenue cars south on the Bowery from Grand Street, when its lease of the Third Avenue Railroad Company was recently abrogated. The receivers of the New York City Railway Company are now trying to get the permission of the Dry Dock, East Broadway, and Battery Railroad Company receivers to use the Center Street tracks south of Grand Street to the Post Office.

### Thirteen in a Wreck Story.

Number 13 figured prominently in the wreck of the Danish bark Birnam Wood on a reef off Santa Cruz, Cuba. The bark was lost on Feb. 13. Yesterday, on Friday, March 13, thirteen members of the crew arrived here on the steamer Yumuri. They were forced to remain thirteen hours on the wreck before they were taken off. Thirteen days later the bark was hauled off the reef by wreckers. Later she was condemned.

## THE UNITED SERVICE.

### The Army.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Capt. G. H. Preston, Thirteenth Cavalry, recruiting officer at Parkersburg, West Va., will proceed to Dillonvale, Ohio, for purpose evidence trial enlisted man.

Major W. S. Wood, Quartermaster, Seattle, Washington, will visit Tacoma to inspect subsistence supplies.

Major G. O. Squiers, Signal Corps, proceed to New York City and Fort Hancock, N. J., in connection with Signal Corps.

### The Navy.

Capt. H. Morrell detached duty navy yard, New York, to duty connection fitting out the Wisconsin and duty in command of that vessel when commissioned.

Lieut. Commander W. S. Crosley additional temporary duty as ordnance officer, navy yard, New York.

Lieut. A. Buchanan to navy yard, League Island, Penn., duty connection fitting out the New Hampshire and duty on board that vessel when placed in commission.

Lieut. W. C. Watts detached duty Bureau of Navigation, to navy yard, League Island, Penn., duty connection fitting out the New Hampshire and duty on board that vessel.

Chief Gunner G. W. Phillips detached duty naval torpedo station, Newport, R. I., to works of E. W. Bliss Company, Brooklyn, N. Y., and additional duty torpedo testing station, Sag Harbor, N. Y.

Gunner J. Mitchell detached duty naval magazine, Fort Mifflin, to works of E. W. Bliss Company, Brooklyn, and additional duty torpedo testing station, Sag Harbor, N. Y.

Commander H. C. Gearing detached naval station, Cavite, P. I., to naval station, Olongapo.

Capt. U. R. Harris to naval station, Cavite, P. I.

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Chief Carpenter T. W. Richards detached duty naval station, Cavite, P. I., to home.

### Movements of Naval Vessels.

Arrived—Peoria at navy yard, New York; Connecticut, Kansas, Vermont, Louisiana, Georgia, New Jersey, Rhode Island, Virginia, Minnesota, Ohio, Missouri, Maine, Alabama, Illinois, Kearsarge, and Kentucky, at Magdalena Bay.

Sailed—Marietta, from New Orleans for Guantanamo; California, from Magdalena Bay for San Diego.

**AN INTERVIEW WITH ADMIRAL DEWEY.**

With the arrival of the United States ships of war at Magdalena Bay there has come a renewed interest in the great fleet. In THE SUNDAY TIMES there will be a notable interview with Admiral Dewey. The distinguished naval officer speaks for the Administration in this matter, and argues strongly for its programme. It is an article of timeliness and importance.—Adv.

# NO CASH IN PURCHASE OF 28TH STREET LINE

### City Railway Counsel Admits That Subsidiary Stock Had No Market Value.

## JACKSON SUIT STIPULATION

### Its Effect a $750,000 Cut in Assets as Additional Proof of City Railway Insolvency Last Year.

With another item of $750,000 eliminated from the assets claimed by the New York City Railway, the record in the suit brought by Attorney General Jackson has been closed by stipulations entered into between Herbert R. Limburg for the State and Paul D. Cravath for the company covering a number of the points into which no detailed inquiry was made at the hearings before Justice Vernon M. Davis. The last hearing was on Tuesday, and now it only remains for counsel to submit their briefs, which will be done in the course of the next two or three weeks.

The exclusion of the $750,000 item is in connection with the much discussed Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Street lines, which the Metropolitan Street Railway acquired in 1896 after a receiver's sale on the basis of guaranteeing an issue of $1,500,000 bonds and exchanging its own stock for $1,500,000 of Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Street stock at par. The stipulation now made by Mr. Cravath is that this stock, put in by the company at $50 a share as recently as May 22, 1907, never had any market value, was never traded in to the extent of one share, and was originally issued without representing any "actual cash investment." The stipulation reads:

> The lines of this company are entirely operated by horse cars, and it has not thus far earned amounts sufficient to pay the interest on its funded debt, which said interest has been paid by the New York City Railway in part. The deficit of this company for the year ended June 30, 1906, was the sum of $54,819.78, after charging said interest. Total receipts from operation for that period were $160,736.80. The above deficit does not include special franchise taxes in litigation.
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> No dividends have at any time been declared on the stock of this company, and there have been no transactions in this company's stock. For the purposes of this trial it is stipulated that the stock of this company represents no actual cash investment and has up to the present time had no market value.

This stipulation, it was learned yesterday, was entered into as an alternative to a general inquiry about the financing of the Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Street lines in the suit of the Attorney General. The original contract between the Metropolitan Street Railway and the Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Street Crosstown Railway is an exhibit accompanying the testimony. This contract makes it appear that for the consideration of $1 the Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Street Company turned its property over to the Metropolitan Street Railway, on condition of that company's guaranteeing the $1,500,000 bonds, which bear 5 per cent. interest, and assuming the responsibility of all improvements, additions, betterments, &c.

The facts disclosed have a very important bearing upon the action of the Attorney General, for one of the fundamental contentions in that case is that the lease of the Metropolitan Street Railway to the New York City Railway in 1902, whereby 7 per cent. dividends were guaranteed on the $52,000,000 stock of the Metropolitan Street Railway, was improvident and bound to result in insolvency if carried out. One million five hundred thousand dollars of the Metropolitan Street Railway stock was issued at par in exchange for the stock of the Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Street road, which Mr. Cravath now stipulates never represented any "actual cash investment" and has had up to the present time no market value.

In addition to their bearing upon the value of the lease of the Metropolitan Street Railway as a New York City Railway asset, the disclosures about the Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Street road have another important relation to the Attorney General's case. The Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Street stock was included in an item of $8,658,527.64 stocks owned by the New York City Railway on June 30, 1906, and claimed as a good asset on that date, on the strength of having been transferred to the Metropolitan Securities Company on May 22, 1907, at a total agreed valuation some $300,000 greater. In the valuation of May 22, 1907, the Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Street stock was put in at $50 a share, or a total value of $750,000, which is now a deduction from the assets claimed by the company in its effort to establish itself solvent on June 30, 1906.

## GET "ABE" ROTHSCHILD AGAIN

### Police Raid the Office of "The Successful Business Man."

Central Office Detectives McConville and Nelson and Post Office Inspectors Kincaid and Ruddy raided the offices of "The Successful Business Man," a periodical, at 302 Broadway, yesterday, and arrested two men. One of these gave the name of M. G. Rothschild, but the police say he admitted he was "Abe" Rothschild, known as "the man with the glass eye," who was convicted in 1877 of the murder of "Diamond Bessie" Moore at Jefferson, Texas, and acquitted on a second trial after his family had spent $75,000 in fighting the case.

Postal Inspector Mayer learned that 300,000 circulars had been sent out by Rothschild promising a trade paper for a year, and as a premium a cash register for the sum of $4. More than $7,000 was received in reply, and Inspector Mayer determined on the raid when he learned that Rothschild had a glass eye.

The man arrested with Rothschild said he was Arnold G. Cahn.

# FIRE ON SOUND LINER; PASSENGERS ALARMED

### Blaze Starts in Freight on the Providence on Her Way from Fall River.

## PECK TAKES PASSENGERS

### Four Hundred Transferred from Craft in Distress, Though the Fire Was Soon Put Out.

While the Fall River Line steamer Providence was on her way from Fall River to this city with 400 passengers yesterday morning, fire was discovered among some freight on the forward deck. Not wanting to take the slightest risk for the safety of the passengers, her skipper blew distress signals and later transferred every one to the Richard Peck of the New Haven Line, which brought them to this city.

The fire was discovered on the Providence about 4:30 o'clock. There was much excitement among the passengers when they were awakened to find the ship on fire. They ran to the saloon in various stages of undress. The women were fast becoming panic-stricken when the officers and stewards went among them with assurances that there was no danger.

The Providence, in command of Capt W. B. Appelby, was nearing City Island when the fire was first noticed. The passengers, most of whom were aroused by the stewards, found smoke pouring through the vessel. Two or three women became hysterical and their alarm was increased by a deck hand, who ran through the ship crying "Fire!" at the top of his voice. The officers had hard work to hold the passengers in check.

The whistle of the Providence sounded four blasts, a warning. A wireless message sent by Capt. Appelby was received on board the steamer Boston, and by the Boston office of the company. The Boston at once notified the skipper of the Providence that he would stand by. This was unnecessary, for the Richard Peck, which was coming up behind, at the first blast for help ranged alongside and the work of transferring the passengers began.

A gangplank was put from one vessel to the other, and the 400 passengers made the trip from boat to boat without accident. In the excitement, however, many left their hand luggage behind them. The crew of the Providence behaved well. They carried out the fire drill perfectly. A line of hose was run into the hold and the men soon had the fire out. At no time, the officers declare, was there the slightest danger.

Capt. Nickerson, Superintendent of the line, said that he did not know how the fire started. He estimated the damage at about $1,000. The Providence, the Richard Peck, and the Boston all belong to the New England Navigation Company.

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## THE PRESIDENT AND CONGRESS.

If Congress should amend the Sherman law so as to permit railways to make reasonable agreements under the approval of the Inter-State Commerce Commission; if it should pass a bill meeting the criticism of the Supreme Court as to employers' liability; if it should do the same with reference to the eight-hour law, wherein would the political situation be materially changed? On the one hand, why should the President insist with threats of an extra session upon such action; on the other hand, why should Congress refuse this action?

It is the general impression that the relations between the President and the actual leaders of his party in Congress are strained, and that the strain is becoming acute, so that talk of a "split in the party" is rife. Such talk from either side seems more likely at present to be part of the preparation for the convention than any indication of real intention. It may very well be true that Mr. ROOSEVELT is determined, at any reasonable cost, to secure the nomination of Mr. TAFT on a platform and with an announced policy that will identify the candidate with the President. It may very well be that in pursuing this end he hints at his defiance of a division in the party and of an appeal to the public sentiment of the country. But the actual situation is surely not such as would warrant Congress in courting the fulfillment of such a menace, or would warrant Mr. ROOSEVELT in carrying it out. The measures involved do not necessitate any serious departure from what Congress has already done. Certainly, so far as Mr. ROOSEVELT himself is concerned, his practical and effectual advocacy of an amended Sherman law would be a real concession to the conservative feeling of the community and of his own party. Such an amendment would go far toward moderating the effects of previous radical measures and would be in a sense a guarantee of business peace.

A real split in the party in power, it is safe to infer, at the present time would leave the President hardly less powerful than he has been in the past. It would not be probable that after such a crisis he would employ his power any more guardedly than heretofore, or that his temper would be softened. Those members of his party who think that both temper and action have been unfortunate would do well not to invite an aggravation of them. And if it be practicable before the adjournment of Congress to secure so important an advantage for business as would be afforded by an amendment to the Sherman act in the sense indicated and to secure this with the full approval of the President, is it not the part of common good judgment to do it? It is the opinion of many men of wide experience and acknowledged authority in the work of transportation that this amendment would prove a very solid and lasting benefit to the vast interests involved. Surely we have had enough legislation of an opposite character and tendency. It would be an immense check to the reckless spirit of hostile regulation if the Congress, at the instance of the President, should pass a bill distinctly in the opposite direction, animated by the opposite intent. When such a concrete and permanent measure of amelioration is within reach, we confess that we can see no good reason for refusing to attain it.

## HOW TARIFFS ARE MADE.

The figures are supplied by the Government departments, first showing rates of duty under various tariffs; second, cost and price abroad and at home; third, rates of wages and cost of living. Then the House Committee of Ways and Means prepares its bill. This goes to the Senate, where it is studied in the light of all this ample information, and amendments are proposed. This is the substance of an elaborate essay on the preparation of tariffs by an accomplished correspondent of The Tribune of Chicago, in which the capacity of the various departments to furnish accurate and complete information on these essential points is minutely explained.

From this account it would seem that agreement between the two branches of Congress would be an easy matter. Quite the contrary:

Hundreds of amendments would be made in the Senate, and finally the tariff would be passed through that body in such a way that the innocent onlooker would say that the House and Senate never could agree to settle the vast differences between them.

The bill thus overhauled goes to a conference committee. There its final provisions are settled. It is passed in a form unrecognizable by either of its parents, often with entirely new duties and new rates of duty. Why? Because "the actual creation of a tariff bill becomes a matter of reconciling different interests." In the language of the Democratic Senator who handled the McKinley bill for his party in the Senate, it is a question of "the bargain counter." It is easy to see why the leaders in the House and in the Senate are not favorably disposed to a commission or to the employment of "experts." They prefer to attend the "counter" in person and to do their own bargaining.

## BLOCKING BUSINESS.

The Farmers' Union Guide exults over the fact that the Memphis banks have advanced $2,250,000 on 60,000 bales of cotton at 8 cents. The Guide commends this example to Southern banks in general in order that a million bales may be "kept off a speculative market." But the Memphis banks must be encouraged in thus frustrating the speculators in New York by seeing in the morning newspapers the precise sum at which the collateral can be liquidated. If a Memphis bank did not know the price of Liverpool middling it would have some anxiety about its advances, and if it were asked to make a loan on something not quoted on any Exchange it would take quite a little time to make up its mind about it.

The same thing is true about Chicago loans on grain, or about any bank's loans on anything. The quickest and easiest loans are those made on quoted collateral. Contrariwise, any impediment thrown in the way of easy proof of values is an obstacle to credit, upon which all business is based. Nobody, so far as we know, would oppose a bill which should restrain unwise speculation, plunging with other people's money, misjudging the market, or doing any other foolish or wrong thing. But many are opposed to the futile attempts to do this thing, with the inevitable result of hindering good business, even so good as holding a million bales of cotton off a speculative market.

It is easy to describe a statute which it would be joy to support. But there is a distinction between describing such a statute and drafting it. It is all the difference between promise and performance, and none are so profuse in their promises as those least careful or anxious regarding performance. Ever since JOSEPH, as PHARAOH'S commissary, made a good turn in corn the world has been looking for a solution of this problem.

## AN ESTEEMED CONTEMPORARY.

The Bromley Morning News swam yesterday morning into the ken of a strictly limited circle of readers. They were few in number, but specially qualified for criticism of the new venture. The paper was a little late in getting out—it bears date of Saturday, Feb. 29, but was put into the hands of its readers on "Friday, the 13th" of March. Absit omen! As the new paper is not to be issued again, however, being but for a day, its circulation prospects will not be damaged by this slowness in distribution.

The Bromley Morning News is the production of Mr. GEORGE HARVEY, who got it up as a sample newspaper for the instruction of Yale students, to whom he is lecturing on journalism. His lectures ought to do good at Yale. Intellect, character, conscience, knowledge, sound judgment, and independence are the qualities that, he thinks, should go to the making of a newspaper. There will be no dispute about that. What the lecturer had to say about the acceptance of political office by newspaper men was particularly sound. "There is but one conceivable conclusion in logic or in morals, namely, that true journalism and politics that seeks personal advancement are not, and cannot be made, co-operative." When political ambition comes into a newspaper office by the door, independence flies out of the window.

Col. HARVEY insists that a newspaper should be independent, not merely of party, but even of prevailing opinion in its own community. He denounces as the basest imaginable conception of the newspaper calling the declaration attributed to a conspicuous statesman that "the sole mission of journalism is to detect and encourage popular tendencies." A newspaper editor who is fitted by mind and conscience for his business finds it very often to be his duty to discourage popular tendencies that are sometimes very wrong and very unsafe. Col. HARVEY tries, in his first lecture, delivered Thursday evening, to make himself and his audience believe that the art of making a newspaper can be taught and acquired in a university. He labors in the effort, and we are doubtful of its success—especially with himself. He may make the Yale students believe that "one can be taught how to write, edit, think, even to perceive as readily in a college as in a newspaper office," but we think he will remain incredulous to the end.

Col. HARVEY did not get his newspaper training in a college, but his sample newspaper looks as if he had. It exhibits a haughty indifference to the demands of readers and advertisers. The Colonel explains how it was made up: "I took the New York newspapers, and rearranged the news which they presented to their readers into a form which seemed to me suitable." Its suitability is therefore subjective. Put to the test of an appeal to the newspaper reading public we fear it would enter upon a career of woe and tribulation—a short career. Its readers would get considerable information about public affairs, National and international, but they would learn very little about human nature. Of the behavior of men in large groups they would learn something, of the doings of men as individual units practically nothing. Yet man by himself is an interesting being. He often does astonishing things that other men ought to know about, that they may learn that it takes all sorts to make a world. However, it can do Col. HARVEY'S Yale audience no harm to have before them a concrete example of what the lecturer thinks a newspaper ought to be.

## EARNING AND SPENDING.

We take pleasure in directing the attention of the unemployed to the fact that the cost of living is still declining. On March 1 a year ago it was at its recorded maximum. Since then there has been hardly an interruption in its fall to the level of July 1, 1905. Within a year there has been a fall of 12 per cent., which is a toboggan slide for so stable a thing as an index number. It is true that the number now, $7.9862, shows a gain of about 40 per cent. over $5.7019 on July 1, 1896, but that was a rise from a hole, not from a level or an average. In any case an advance of 40 per cent. distributed over the years since 1896 is much less abrupt and striking than the decline of 12.5 per cent. in a twelvemonth, to the lowest in thirty-three months.

Nothing is further from our intention than to taunt those who are earning nothing with this comparative cheapness of what they have not the means to buy. But we do think it is a fair occasion to ask them whether they prefer wages and high prices or idleness and low prices. And to those who are indulging themselves in bargains in food and clothing with resources taken from the savings bank, reducing their children's patrimony or cheating their old age, we would say that cheapness of necessaries, procured at the cost of something like ruin for the rich, is dearly bought. When rich men sell their yachts, and the unemployed parade, and the cost of living is near a minimum, there is less general happiness than when the rich are prodigal and the poor are earning.

## HUGH BONNER.

In HUGH BONNER this community has lost a man who placed its Fire Department at the head of similar organizations in the service of the world's great cities. He ran New York's first self-propelling fire engine and its first chemical engine; he operated the first water tower ever used; he invented the life net, and various devices for reaching the heart of a fire more quickly. These were incidents in the development of a system of municipal fire protection with which Mr. BONNER was identified for half a century. After he had been deemed by some too old to remain as New York's Fire Chief he retired, and by appointment of President ROOSEVELT took charge of the Fire Department of Manila, which is to-day the wonder of the natives and of more civilized capitals. Returning to New York, within two months of his death he was intrusted with the Fire Commissionership by Mayor McCLELLAN.

His last service was to replace the rotten hose which mismanagement, or worse, had foisted upon the department with hose that would withstand adequate water pressures. He died as a result of exposure at his post, while devising new methods and establishing new standards of efficiency demanded by the city's increasing fire hazards. He was a protector of property and a saver of lives. New York proudly mourns his death.

## THE WIRELESS ON THE WATER.

Efficient fire drill and general good discipline on board the Sound steamboat Providence, which took fire off Execution Rock early yesterday morning, resulted in the quick transfer of all the 400 passengers without panic. The whistles were heard on the Richard Peck, which responded, and brought the passengers to town with little delay.

The efficacy of wireless telegraphy was clearly demonstrated. By this means the Captain of the Providence quickly communicated with the freight boat Boston, which could have safely transferred all the passengers if the Peck had not been near by.

It happens that the fire was soon extinguished, and the public mind may not be as strongly impressed by the incident as it would have been if the boat had been completely destroyed after the rescue of the passengers. But it is never safe to take chances when a boat is on fire, and the demonstration of the value of wireless telegraphy is most gratifying. By its aid the safety of travel on the Sound and the rivers ought to be assured in the future. Even a fire at sea will lose some of its terror when all vessels are equipped with the wireless apparatus.

## TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

**Depends on the Public.** As the new cars soon to be placed on the Fourth Avenue line will mark about the first improvement in the construction and operation of street cars, apart from their motive power, that has been attempted since New York first had those vehicles, it certainly behooves the public to give them a fair trial and honestly to help the receiver of the railway company in what seems to be an effort to increase the comfort of travel.

As a rule, we are not particularly sympathetic with a public service corporation when it makes innovations that depend for success on changing the habits of passengers and on transferring to them duties hitherto performed by paid employés, for in such cases there is room for a vehement suspicion that what the company is really trying to do is to cut down expenses, with no more than a mild hope that the quality of the service will not deteriorate. In this instance, however, the demand upon the public is merely to use ordinary intelligence in getting on and off the cars and to be at a little pains to have as often as possible the exact change with which to pay fares.

This doesn't seem much, and in return for it the promise is an abolition of the annoyances incidental to using the same opening for both entrance and exit—annoyances which New Yorkers, strangely enough, have come to accept as imposed by a law of nature for this particular locality—a mitigation of the crowding in the cars and a hastening of the rate of travel. All these things are highly desirable. The pay-as-you-enter plan has worked well in other cities, but the first introduction of it here excited some resentment, and what the result will be when it is tested on a larger scale remains to be shown by experience.

New Yorkers are queer in this matter of transportation. That they will patiently submit for long years to brutal and stupid treatment has been only too well demonstrated, but they are not nearly as agile of mind as of body in their daily travels, their number constantly includes a multitude of strangers who will do nothing according to any pre-arranged programme, and they are chronically out of small change.

It is at the latter point that the new plan is most likely to break down. A system of tickets might help it, but even that is doubtful, for curiously few of us save ourselves trouble and delay by buying more than one or two elevated or subway tickets at a time. If everybody purchased them by the dollar's worth the crowding at the ticket windows would be decreased to at least a tenth of what it is now, and many a train now missed would easily be caught.

**Hospital Only in Name.** Assuming, as, of course, we must, that Dr. ABRAHAM JACOBI accurately describes the quarters provided by the city for many of the tuberculous patients on Blackwell's Island, it is hard to escape the terrible conviction that the consumptives are sent, not to a hospital, but, like the stray dogs that nobody wants, to a lethal chamber—that they go to the island, not to die, but to be killed.

There is exaggeration, of course, in that view, and we hope it is wild exaggeration, but an overcrowded and unventilated building is in effect a lethal chamber for a victim of tuberculosis, and confinement in such a place not only takes away his last chance of recovery, but materially hastens the progress of his disease. And, with such conditions in existence as those pictured by Dr. JACOBI, the use of extremely plain words is justified, or rather demanded, and they can hardly be too much emphasized.

New York is officially declared to be close to the limits of its financial resources just now, but we all know that the statements to that effect are true only in a strictly technical sense, and that the city has all the money needed for doing anything it really wants to do. Certainly it is not so poor that its public hospitals should be conducted in complete indifference to medical science and in violation of what have come to be recognized as the first principles of intelligent care.

Fortunately for the repute of the city, not all its consumptive patients are treated as Dr. JACOBI described. Many, or at least some, in the early stages of the disease are enabled on that same island to get the benefits of what amounts to life in the open air. That they all cannot is probably not the fault of any one person or department. It is due in part to lack of general public knowledge of the existing conditions and in part to the persistence of ignorance as to the exact nature of consumption, its intrinsic curability in every case taken in time, and the means by which this end can be attained.

In the same address in which Dr. JACOBI discussed the Blackwell's Island Hospital he properly characterized as public enemies the legislators and the landlords who are trying to wreck the tenement house law by exempting from its beneficent restrictions thousands of the very buildings that need them most. He used even more vigor than we employed recently in antagonizing this effort, and that makes us regretful for leaving out a few harsh words that we could have added as well as not.

**Goodness and Competency.** In answer to the charge that women, if enfranchised, would vote for "good" men, regardless of whether they were also competent, and so lower the now not too high standards of public service, one of our correspondents said yesterday that, while the charge might be true, the effect predicted would not follow. For the men, too, would or could still vote, she declared, and if they continued, as at present—sarcasm can be suspected at this point in the argument—to see to it that only competent men were elected to office, it would do no harm at all if the women took care that the successful candidates were also good.

That is certainly an ingenious idea. We suspect that there is something fallacious about it somewhere, but nevertheless it is to be commended to the serious consideration of both the friends and the foes of the woman suffragists. Opinions as to what is goodness and what is competency are a bit fluctuant, and we never noticed that they divided along the sex line, but other people seem to be better informed.

### Who Will Help?

*To the Editor of The New York Times:*

Dr. Felix Adler at last night's meeting aptly said: "There seems to be no help for the poor of this city, in regard to living quarters. They are huddled together like animals, in one, two, or three rooms, six or more in a room, only for the reason that the rents are too high."

Dr. Adler probably has more experience as a settlement worker than any one else, and probably has more influence among the rich in favor of the poor of this city. The outlook for the poor is bad indeed, when a sterling man of his stamp makes such remarks. But maybe the professor felt so pessimistic on account of present conditions. Now, let us see, is there really no way of helping the worthy poor to better homes? I think there is, if the wealthy people are only willing to help.

There is at present a very laudable movement on foot, started by wealthy ladies of New York, to look into the conditions of the poor at their homes and in the factories. After finding out the awful conditions, let them do something practical and prevail upon their husbands and wealthy friends to furnish the money for buying tracts of land near the Jersey and Long Island tunnels, where real estate can be had at reasonable prices, and have thousands of small two-family houses built, and rent these, say, at two dollars per room. This is certainly feasible and without the investors losing any money. Who will help along this grand project? Who will start the ball rolling, and deserve the everlasting thanks of our worthy poor citizens?

EDWARD BIESENTHAL.

New York, March 11, 1908.

## FINISH BROOKLYN DRY DOCK.

### Congress Will Be Asked to Provide $1,500,000 to Finish the Work.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Admiral Holliday, Chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks, has recommended the acceptance of the bid of the Williams Engineering and Contract Company of New York to complete the Brooklyn dry dock at their bid of $764,400. The dock was 15 per cent. completed when a former contract was declared forfeited.

Congress appropriated $1,000,000 for the work, but it will be asked to raise the limit to about $1,500,000, so as to permit the addition of about fifty feet to the length originally contemplated, making the total length over 550 feet, which will accommodate the largest American warships afloat and projected.

## 13 SIGN ON INDIAN SENATOR.

### Puts In 13 Bills on Friday the 13th and There's Little Hope for Them.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Friday the 13th holds no terrors for Senator Owen. The Senator from Oklahoma is a Cherokee Indian, and he places the Indian sign on the ancient superstition.

To-day he introduced thirteen public building bills, and by a queer coincidence the file numbers on them ran from 6,113 to 6,125, inclusive.

There is little likelihood that the public building bills at this session will carry any but the most pressing improvements.

## NO TAXES FROM SAGE ESTATE.

### Attorney Swears Off $2,258,000 of Late Financier's Assessment.

Taxes to a large amount were sworn off yesterday at the Tax Department. The estate of Russell Sage will bring no revenue to the city this year. Robert W. De Forrest, on behalf of the Sage estate, swore off on $2,258,000 personal property. He explained that the estate was divided among the various legatees last December and therefore was not taxable.

Mrs. Emily Fowler of 60 East Sixty-eighth Street swore off the assessments against the property of her children, Eric and Oswald. Each was assessed on $200,000. The assessment of $250,000 against the property of former Mayor Smith Ely was also sworn off.

The city will also derive no revenue from the estate of the late George C. Taylor, who died in Suffolk County last September, leaving $3,000,000. Affidavits by Percy R. Pine and Henry A. Lindsay, executors and legatees, state that Mr. Taylor was a resident of Suffolk County, hence the estate cannot be taxed in any county in Greater New York.

## QUESTION OF SUBWAYS AGAIN

### Obligations of City to New York Central and the Pennsylvania.

*To the Editor of The New York Times:*

The agitation over the Lexington Avenue subway is out of order of regular procedure. The railroads centring at the Grand Central Station are already provided with one subway at the expense of the city, and it would be manifestly unjust to furnish them with another and leave the Pennsylvania without any.

The fact should not be lost sight of that the city granted the Pennsylvania's franchises on which the company has expended an enormous amount of money, including a station which, when completed, will be an ornament to the city. Also the Government has adopted that site for a new Post Office building to cost millions. The city, therefore, is morally bound to afford transit facilities for the distribution of passengers. To compel the Pennsylvania to dump 20,000 passengers daily on to Seventh Avenue under present conditions would be nothing less than a great public crime, which the Board of Estimate and Apportionment will not stand for unless it goes back of its record.

The old Board of Rapid Transit recognized these conditions and made the necessary surveys for a Seventh Avenue subway, and, furthermore, had the right of way condemned, all of which cost the city a lot of money. No one believes that the present board understands the needs of the city better than the old board, for certainly the Lexington Avenue proposition is about the worst that could be conceived. This line not only parallels the old Subway for four miles, but it cuts up Broadway into sections, and therefore is no benefit to the traveling public along this the most important thoroughfare of the city. Broadway doubtless wants a subway from one end to the other, but this can only be brought about by taking possession of the present one below John Street and above Forty-second Street, and then turning the present line around on to Madison Avenue, thus running into the Bronx between Jerome Avenue and the Southern Boulevard.

The Seventh Avenue line begins at the Battery through Greenwich Street to West Broadway and Franklin Street, where it takes up the Seventh Avenue extension to Seventh Avenue, Fifty-ninth Street, Central Park West, Eighth Avenue to 155th Street, thence to Jerome Avenue and the city limits. This gives nearly a straight line, and therefore costs less to build and lessens the distance to Jerome Avenue by at least fifteen minutes over the Lexington Avenue proposition via Mott Avenue.

The Seventh Avenue subway should be built first. Public decency and the reputation of the city demand it.

C. C. HICKOK.

New York, March 12, 1908.

### Ada Dyas.

*To the Editor of The New York Times:*

Ada Dyas's role in "The Shaughraun," at Wallack's, was Claire Ffolliott, not Moya. The original Moya was Ione Burke. Miss Dyas acted at Wallack's in the seasons of 1873-4 and 1874-5. Thereafter she was for one season at the Fifth Avenue Theatre under Daly's management. She appeared at the Madison Square Theatre in the Mallory regime. After a long absence she returned to the stage at Palmer's Theatre, in the nineties, when she succeeded Agnes Booth as Mrs. Ralston in "Jim the Penman," and acted other parts.

At Wallack's she acted Lady Teazle, Lydia Languish, Kate Hardcastle, Esther Eccles, and Marguerite in "The Romance of a Poor Young Man."

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New York, March 13, 1908.

### Did the Women Do It?

*To the Editor of The New York Times:*

Will Mrs. Schoff, President of the National Congress of Mothers, kindly explain to a bewildered "anti"?

Mrs. Schoff in her report says "the society regrets that it was unable to bring enough influence to bear to unseat the Mormon Apostle, Senator Smoot." But surely there can be no need for the despised "indirect methods" of woman's associations, in a State like Utah where women have the privilege of using the "direct method (?)" of the ballot.

Can it be that an unworthy Senator is sent to Washington by a State purified and ennobled by the uplifting vote of women!

A. N. M.

New York, March 13, 1908.

### THE CIRCUS.

When Johnny Jones beheld the jump
The bareback rider made,
To hurtle through a paper hoop
He yearned all unafraid.
He tried to do the feat himself
And win such glory pure—
The doctor said he might pull through—
He couldn't tell for sure.

When John Jones saw a million made
To emulate he burned,
He recked not of the work that went
Before the trick was turned.
He tried to do the stunt himself,
So tempting was the lure—
Receivers said he might pull through—
They couldn't tell for sure.

McLANDBURGH WILSON.

## CANNON DOESN'T KNOW SPEAR

### And Official of Boat Company Says Capt. Hobson Was Mistaken.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Both Speaker Cannon and Lawrence Spear, naval constructor of the Electric Boat Company, entered denials to-day in the matter of the charge of influence brought out yesterday by Representative Richmond Pearson Hobson in the submarine scandal investigation.

Capt. Hobson reported Spear as having asserted that he had influence with the Speaker, which he would exert to obtain Hobson's assignment to the Naval Affairs Committee in return for Hobson's support of submarines. Both Mr. Cannon and Lieut. Spear denied to-day having any acquaintance with each other.

Friends of the Speaker pointed out that, even if such an offer had been made to Mr. Hobson, who is a Democrat, it is strange that he had taken it for more than an idle boast, as Democratic members invariably obtain appointments through the minority leader and not through the Speaker. Mr. Spear said that he had a conversation by telephone with Capt. Hobson, but that the Representative utterly misrepresented his remarks.

Though members of the special committee speak lightly of the charges implicating the Speaker or any other member of the House, at an executive meeting this afternoon they voted to subpoena every witness Mr. Lilley had asked to have summoned.

In cases where Mr. Lilley wanted witnesses to bring documentary evidence showing expenditures of the Electric Boat Company for obtaining legislation, the committee has requested him to draw up subpoenas minutely describing the documents he wishes the committee to examine.

Elihu B. Frost, Vice President of the Electric Boat Company, is expected to take the stand at the next hearing on Monday. Ex-Senator Marion Butler, who is accused by Mr. Lilley of having drawn up the motion finally offered in the Naval Committee by Mr. Laudenslager, has obtained permission of the committee to testify as to his relations with the boat company.

## POETRY IN CONGRESS.

### Watkins of Louisiana Wrote It, and It Made the House Laugh.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Representative Watkins of Louisiana to-day convulsed the House by reciting an original poem entitled, "What Is to Come." It was in eight stanzas, the first six of which referred to the promises of the Republicans to revise the tariff and do other things. Before these would come to pass he said:

A Cannon must be first shot off,
Fairbanks must then be tunneled through;
The skies must change their azure Hughes,
And Billy Taft put up the dough.

The people must all go to sleep
Until Gabriel blows his horn;
Americans must sure forget
That William J. was ever born.

The House loudly applauded the reading of the verses.

## NOT STOCK EXCHANGE INQUIRY

### Secretary Straus Says President's Order Refers to Bucket Shops.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—To correct any misapprehension that may exist as to the investigation which Commissioner of Corporations Smith is making into laws affecting bucketshop operations, Secretary Straus of the Department of Commerce and Labor to-day issued the following statement:

"Secretary Straus states, in regard to the matter of bucket shops, that the President has simply referred the subject to this department, with the request to have Mr. Herbert Knox Smith, Commissioner of Corporations, examine certain bills aimed at bucket shops and to report his views on the general subject. The President has not ordered any general investigation of Stock Exchanges, and Mr. Smith has been instructed to use his own judgment in reporting upon the subject and getting the facts that the President desires."

## CARTER CENSURES BIEBER.

### Investigation of Methods in Acquiring Land, Senator Intimates.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13. — Senator Carter of Montana paid his respects to lobbyists to-day in an arraignment of Sidney Bieber, who is charged with having obtained title to Government land in the District of Columbia due to his influence in Congress. Bieber for years has been a close friend of Speaker Cannon. He has been intrusted by the Republican National Committee with the management of local primaries, at which delegates to the Chicago Convention will be chosen.

Carter showed that Bieber had purchased for a little less than $5,000 a stretch of Government land along the Anacostia River.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company had the use of land adjoining Bieber's holdings, and when it discovered that Bieber was gradually closing the tracks in and jeopardizing its position, Wayne MacVeagh, counsel for the railroad, drew up a brief, and presented it to the War Department and the Department of Justice.

"The statement is made," said the Senator, "that when they offered Bieber $15,000 for a quitclaim on the land he had thus acquired, and on which their tracks rested, and had rested for a generation, he simply laughed and said he would bring them to time for good round figures, or words to that effect."

Carter intimated that an investigation is under way. It is understood that this inquiry is to be thorough, no matter in what direction the trails lead.

## $27,649 AT COLONNA SALE.

### John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and O. H. P. Belmont Among the Purchasers.

The five days' sale of the Colonna collection of Japanese paintings, potteries, bronzes, and lacquers, closed at the American Art Galleries yesterday afternoon, with total returns of $27,649. Yesterday's sale brought in $4,440. Many prominent persons have attended the sale. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and O. H. P. Belmont have made a number of purchases. W. Hinckle Smith, S. S. Laird of Philadelphia, I. N. Phelps-Stokes, Cooper Hewitt, and others were present.

Jewelry included in the collection brought the highest price yesterday, the largest being paid by a dealer for a fine gold Indian ring with a cabochon emerald. This sold for $410. A necklace of thirty-six star sapphires of various colors set in gold, separated by rose diamonds set in platinum brought $320, and a pear-shaped cabochon emerald set with diamonds and a pearl in platinum and gold brought $160.

O. H. P. Belmont bought a pocket flintlock and helmet ornament supposed to be one of the Miochins, for $9, and Cooper Hewitt bought a small, two-handled bronze vase inlaid with silver for $16.

## GALLERY NOTES.

### Maurice Fromkes's Portraits on Exhibition at Knoedler's.

At the Knoedler Galleries this week an exhibition of recent portraits by Maurice Fromkes, among which is one of M. Maurice Renaud showing a grasp of character and unusual vivacity of handling. Color, brushwork, and drawing are all tempered to the subject with a sense of fitness frequently lacking in modern portraiture.

Both in the portrait of Miss Margory Lovejoy and that of Miss Doris Keane the artist shows his ability to cope with the very different problems offered by more delicate types, and in the portrait of L. Rossbach and daughter he brings together in a thoroughly effective contrast a bold, masculine treatment of a vigorous subject and the refinement demanded by the child's peculiarly sensitive aspect. In the latter, despite the modern method, there is a suggestion of the charm that is felt in the children of Sir Joshua Reynolds, a shy gentleness and childish shrinking that make a definite appeal to those familiar with the most attractive attributes of childhood.

One feels it most of all, perhaps, in the delightful little creature in white who stands by a piano, and the clever treatment of the piano by which it is made to tell decoratively in the general scheme is also to be noted. Mrs. Julia A. H. Worthington, Mrs. Hugh A. Murray, Master Lawrence Allderdice, Miss Allan Joy Ayers, Master Charles Douglas, and Sir Edward Elgar are among those whose portraits are shown.

## BATTLESHIP FLEET TO VISIT AUSTRALIA

### Will Call at Two Ports on Its Way to New York by Suez Route.

### PRAISE FROM EUROPEANS

### German and British Experts Laud the Feat of Our Ships—Other Invitations Probable.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The battleship fleet is going to Australia. After hearing with marked satisfaction Secretary Metcalf relate to the Cabinet the success of the cruise of the fleet to Magdalena Bay, President Roosevelt this morning wired his congratulations to Admiral Evans, and authorized the Secretary of the Navy to announce that the fleet would begin its return journey July 6 by way of Australia, Manila, and the Suez, returning to New York early in 1909. The Australian ports called at will be Melbourne and Sydney.

The fleet will not be divided, it was announced, and will return to the Atlantic Coast as it departed from Hampton Roads, possibly augmented by the battleships Nebraska and Wisconsin, now on the Pacific Coast. By the time it reaches San Francisco the fleet will have covered approximately 14,000 miles. The return journey will mean an additional 23,000 miles.

Whether Admiral Evans will bring the fleet part or all the way home has not been definitely determined, nor has it been decided whether the third torpedo flotilla will continue the world cruise. The return itinerary of the fleet had been decided upon between the President and Secretary Metcalf several weeks ago, but the invitation from Australia caused a reconsideration, and for the last week the question as to whether it should be accepted has been debated.

The question arose as to whether, if this invitation were accepted, others that might be received later would not have to be treated likewise. If the fleet should visit Australia, a possible invitation from Japan could not well be declined, and likewise possible invitations from France, Italy, and other European countries.

The Australian invitation is the only one that has been received so far, however, so it was finaly decided that it might be accepted, by announcing the itinerary and stating that it would not be changed for any purpose. Aside from the stops in Australia, it was announced that only necessary calls would be made between San Francisco and New York.

It is confidently expected by officials of the Administration that the fleet will return just as successfully as it made the progress to the Pacific. President Roosevelt will review it upon its return to New York Harbor.

The dates of the itinerary will be left for the consideration of the commanding officers of the fleet after their arrival at San Francisco. The journey will be leisurely, for the most part, including a stop of two weeks or more at Honolulu, a few days at Samoa, and about twelve days in the two Australian ports. The stop at Manila will be for a month or six weeks, and target practice will be held. Coaling stops will be made at Colombo, Aden, and Gibraltar.

TOKIO, March 13.—The official route of the American battleship fleet on its return to the Atlantic was conveyed to the Foreign Office to-day. Baron Saito, Minister of Marine, when shown the itinerary, repeated his previous statements and emphasized Japan's desire that the fleet would visit a Japanese port in order to enable a practical demonstration of the sincerity of Japan's friendship for the United States and the American people.

At the Foreign Office it was said: "The decision of the American Government to send the fleet on a tour of the world should finally silence all war talk. It is a guarantee of the peace of the world."

Military and naval officers are unanimous in pronouncing the proposed tour as one of the greatest achievements of history.

BERLIN, March 13.—The German naval critics are commenting upon the wonderful feat of seamanship displayed in the long voyage of the American battleship fleet under command of Rear Admiral Evans and its arrival at Magdalena Bay several days ahead of its schedule without a ship being disabled. They consider it proof of excellent material as well as of personnel.

The announcement that the fleet will continue its voyage after reaching San Francisco to Hawaii, Samoa, the Philippine Islands, and Australia, and thence return homeward through the Suez Canal, is regarded as the second half of an unexampled voyage by a great war fleet. The newspaper specialists on naval affairs say that the performances are certain to place the American Navy on a high level in the world's opinion, and that they are likely to add to the esprit de corps for which its personnel long has been famous.

LONDON, March 13.—The announcement that the American battleship fleet will return from the Pacific to the Atlantic by way of the Suez Canal has created the greatest interest among naval officers here, who are anxious to see the American vessels and observe the effects of the long cruise upon them. A prominent naval officer has suggested that the Government should send an invitation to the battleships to come to England.

## REUTERDAHL PRAISES NAVY.

### Says Officers and Men Are Best in the World—Reaches San Diego.

*Special to The New York Times.*

SAN DIEGO, March 13.—Henry Reuterdahl, the artist whose magazine article criticising the navy, published just as Admiral Evans's fleet left Hampton Roads, caused so much commotion at Washington and in navy circles, arrived here to-day from Callao on the supply ship Culgoa, on which he was allowed to finish his passage back to the United States.

He was cautioned by officers on the battleship and allowed to realize that he was not wanted. On arriving here Reuterdahl was very reticent, but said: "The construction of the navy's vessels is not all open to criticism, but only certain features of it. The officers and men of Uncle Sam's navy are the best in the world."

Those who came with Reuterdahl say that his demeanor is that of a man ashamed of his act and trying to forget it. He took an interest in the news that high officers in the Navy Department agreed with him in his opinion as to the defects in the battleships. He said on leaving for New York:

"I am doing no writing, but am going right home to play, make pictures, and play with my boy."

## AMERICAN SHIPS TO PANAMA.

### Passage of Frye Bill Regarded as Step Toward Ship Subsidy.

*Special to The New York Times.*

WASHINGTON, March 13.—By practically a party vote, the Frye bill passed the Senate to-day. The measure povides that hereafter supplies and materials for the Panama Canal shall be transported, whenever practicable, in American ships. Power is vested in the President to suspend the act whenever, in his opinion, such action is necessary.

It is generally recognized that the Frye bill has made the first breach in the opposition to ship subsidies. If the Gallinger measure, which provides for a postal subvention and will establish four new steamship lines, also goes through, the friends of ship subsidies will come out openly for comprehensive legislation along that line, it is said.

# BRIDGE AND A FAIR FOR CHARITY'S SAKE

### Young Women in Society to Give a Card Party on March 20 with Tiffany Clock as a Prize.

## BENEFIT FOR BABIES' HOME

### Children of Loving Service Plan a Fair for April 10 to be Held at Mrs. C. B. Alexander's.

A number of young women in society are interested in a charity bridge, which will be given at the Plaza on Friday, March 20. The committee in charge of the affair comprises the Misses Eleanor Dupignac, Helen Ludington, Estelle Flower, Adelaide Baylis, Carey Fellowes, Florence Perkins, and Emma L. Romeyn.

Among the patronesses are Mrs. Francis Fletcher Palmer, Mrs. Le Roy Clark, Mrs. George E. Daniels, Mrs. Thomas Hicks, Mrs. William Baylis, Mrs. William French Wilbour, Mrs. Louis F. Whitin, Mrs. Henry S. Schley, Mrs. Theodore I. Husted, Mrs. James J. Goodwin, Mrs. Henry A. Spaulding, Mrs. Charles W. Romeyn, and Mrs. Clarke Potter Read.

The first prize will be a Tiffany clock, and among other prizes will be tickets for "The Merry Widow." Tickets for the bridge may be obtained from members and patronesses, and donations or prizes will be acknowledged by the Treasurer, Miss Katharine B. Schley, 24 West Fifty-fourth Street.

A meeting of the Receiving Committee and patronesses will be held at 3 o'clock on Monday at Miss Schley's residence.

The Children of Loving Service will hold their annual fair for charity from 2 to 6 o'clock on Friday, April 10, at Mrs. Charles B. Alexander's, 4 West Fifty-eighth Street. Girls and boys will preside at the booths and tables.

One of the charities which the fair is intended to benefit is the Convalescent Home for Babies at Sea Cliff, L. I.

The invitations to the fair will soon be issued.

## CAST OF "THE SIMPLE LIFE."

### Comedy Club Amateurs to Give the Play Every Night Next Week.

The various rôles in "The Simple Life," which is to be played every night next week, will be taken by Philip F. Kobbe, Mrs. Erhardt Lee, Theodore E. Steinway, William H. Adams, Edward F. Coward, Thomas H. Russell, Evert Jansen Wendell, Miss Olivia Hitchcock, Walker Marcus Dennett, Marie Huntington, Harold W. Gould, George O. Redington, William Clifford M. Moore, and Jacob Wendell, Jr. Most of these are members of the Comedy Club.

The play will be given again on Monday night for the benefit of the Jewell Day Nursery at the Carnegie Lyceum. Tickets may be had from Mrs. Joel B. Erhardt and Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge.

## OCEAN TRAVELERS.

### Many New Yorkers Sailing for Europe To-day on Various Liners.

The American liner St. Paul, sailing to-day for Southampton, will have among her passengers:

Miss Edna Aug, Pierre Benedictus, Mrs. Louisa J. Black, Mrs. A. B. Castleman, Miss Isabella Erwin, Mrs. E. G. Kimball, Prof. Simon Newcomb, Mrs. Stuart Taylor, Mrs. Emily K. Wilson, and Mrs. L. Bradford Prince.

Sailing for Antwerp on the Finland of the Red Star Line are:

Mrs. P. S. Bradlee, Mrs. O. W. Bump, C. C. Clayton, John Darling, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Godey, Mrs. L. G. McMichael, Mrs. Roxana Seeger, and Miss Amelie L. Watts.

Passengers sailing for the Mediterranean on the North German Lloyd liner Koenigin Luise include:

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Boardman, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Beaver, Prof. Friend E. Clark, Mrs. Wilson Carr, Harold Marion Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eginton, Dr. Thomas E. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Shryock, Mrs. J. R. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Thayer, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wasweyler.

Outgoing voyagers on the Atlantic Transport liner Minneapolis for London are:

Mrs. Nancy Huston Banks, Mrs. P. L. Brunswick, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Coles, Mrs. C. W. Day, Mrs. B. F. Ely, Mrs. R. A. J. Hewat, Dr. Eugene Kerenyi, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. A. de Lima, Dr. Mary Ione Slade, and Mrs. H. P. Rose.

Sailing on the steamer Prinz Joachim are:

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Boas, Mrs. H. B. Gay.

FOOD.

A DREAM

The Awakening Reality Less Rosy.

"Far back in my childhood I hold pleasant memories of the coffee berry in its natural state, and its grateful aroma when roasting over the kitchen fire," writes a venerable N. H. lady.

"Although the old house is gone and a new one stands in its place, I often see in my dreams the little coffe grinder by the window, and grind again the coffee for breakfast.

"But time passed on and the pleasure of indulgence in coffee was wholly lost in the ill effects on my nervous system. I was troubled with frequent and severe spells of headache which sadly interfered with my work.

"My sleep was less sound than formerly and nightmare often disturbed my fitful slumbers, until at last insomnia held me in its relentless grasp. I would lie awake nearly all night.

"Other troubles set in until I was pronounced incurable by several of our best physicians. They all prohibited the use of coffee. I was indeed like one under the spell of the drink habit, but I obeyed implicitly my medical advisers, for I had become a great sufferer.

"A friend who had been greatly benefited by changing from coffee to Postum gave me a cup of this health beverage to try. I found its flavour pleasant, while at the same time it agreed with me perfectly; in fact, seemed just what was needed to build me up.

"I ordered some at once, but was disappointed to find mine did not taste like my friend's—I had not boiled it long enough. After I had learned this fact and made my Postum according to directions, I had uniform, satisfactory results.

"Well, to make a long story short, I seemed to have found Ponce de Leon's fountain of youth, for my friends remarked that I was growing young. My mind became clearer and more vigorous, and I took up the work which I had reluctantly laid aside, and much more with it.

"If my case was incurable, as the good doctors had said, I had at least found something to allay my insomnia sufferings, and serve for real nourishment when appetite failed. Nearly five years have passed since I drank my first cup of Postum, and I am as much in love with it to-day as ever." "There's a Reason."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Holland, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Richmond, Mrs. W. C. Thompson, and Mrs. Ralph Webb.

### Vanderbilt Tea for Colonial Dames.

Several hundred invitations have been issued by Mrs. Vanderbilt for a tea and musicale, which she will give Monday afternoon for the Colonial Dames, at her residence, 1 West Fifty-seventh Street. Mrs. Vanderbilt gave a small dinner last night. The Duchess of Marlborough and Mrs. Mackay were among the guests.

### Wagstaff-French Wedding on May 5.

*Special to The New York Times.*

NEWPORT, R. I., March 13.—Amos Tuck French announces May 5 as the date of the wedding of his daughter, Miss Pauline Le Roy French, and Samuel Wagstaff at Newport.

### Social Notes.

Yesterday was Varnishing Day at the Academy of Design, in the Fifty-seventh Street building, and a reception was held from 3 until 7 o'clock. Many well-known women in society and a number of débutantes attended.

George Crocker is to undergo a surgical operation this morning at his residence, 1 East Sixty-fifth Street. His brother, William Crocker, has come on from California, and his brother-in-law, C. B. Alexander, has returned from Mexico, to be near him when the operation takes place.

A bridge tournament will be played to-day at the Laurel House, Lakewood, in which may New Yorkers will take part.

Miss Robinson's bridge class will meet on Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock at Miss Harriet Duer Robinson's, 37 Madison Avenue.

Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge will entertain with a luncheon, followed by bridge, on Wednesday, March 25.

Mrs. Jamison of New York and Miss Martha A. Jamison of Pittsburg will give a bridge party on Monday evening at the Laurel House, Lakewood.

The pupils of the Finch School will give a play Wednesday, March 25, at the Carnegie Lyceum.

A moonlight musical for the benefit of the People's Extension of Society of N. B., by Miss Margaret Anderton, pianiste and musical reciter, will take place on Monday evening at the Chatsworth, in Seventy-second Street. The stage is to have a moonbeam and shadow setting.

At the concert this afternoon at the Waldorf for the benefit of the New York Diet Kitchen M. Gilibert will sing.

The Duc and Duchesse de Chaulnes, who have returned from a trip through the South, are booked to sail for Paris on March 18.

Mrs. James W. Gerard is visiting her old home in Montana. She will return to town in about three weeks.

Sir Edgar Vincent of England has returned from a two weeks' visit to Montreal, and is at the St. Regis.

Baron Rosen, Russian Ambassador to the United States, who has been in town for several days, returned yesterday to Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Henry F. Lippitt and Henry Lippitt of Providence are at the St. Regis.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry May of Washington are at the Gotham.

Mozart's "Figaro" overture, an Austrian hymn by Haydn, and a minuet by Czibulka were among the selections played by the Russian Symphony Quartet yesterday afternoon at the St. Regis. Miss Marguerite De Forrest Anderson, flutist, will be the soloist at the concert to-day.

The Rev. Dr. William Carter of the Madison Avenue Reformed Church gave the second lecture in his series on Milton's "Paradise Lost" in aid of the American Female Guardian Society, yesterday morning, at the Plaza. The lectures will be continued on the remaining Fridays of the month.

Mrs. Robert M. Thompson left with a private car party yesterday, bound for a trip to the Orient. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. Stephen H. P. Pell, her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Church of Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Nesbit. After a tour of California the party will join Mr. Thompson at Yokohama.

A benefit for the Vassar Students' Aid Society will be held to-day at the Hotel Astor.

Mrs. Benjamin Stern of 7 West Fifty-third Street and Mrs. Benno Neuberger of 55 East Seventy-fourth Street are arranging the bridge tournament to be given at the Hotel St. Regis on March 24 for the benefit of Auxiliary 17 of Stony Wold Sanitarium.

## RUSSIANS IN GORKY PLAY.

### "Children of the Sun" Acted at Daly's Theatre.

Gorky's "Children of the Sun," with the contrasted optimism of its dreaming chemist and lovelorn artist, and the heart-sick maunderings of an invalid heroine, provided the sympathetic medium by means of which the Russian players at Daly's last night enthused an audience almost entirely of their own people. The rôle of Liza, the young invalid, who is ultimately made insane by sight of the sufferings about her, seemed better adapted to the somewhat colorless method of Mme. Komisarzhevsky than some in which she has appeared. Its movement is placid for the most part, the occasional high note of hysteria and the eventual scene of madness at the end being within her emotional range.

Unlike "The Night Refuge," the only one of Gorky's dramas hitherto seen on the New York stage, (unless, perhaps, in the Yiddish theatres of the east side,) this one brings the upper and lower strata of society into contrast. The play has as little of genuine movement as "Nachtasyl," but takes no such firm hold on the imagination of the spectator unfamiliar with the language.

In "The Children of the Sun" we meet the familiar mismated pair of Continental drama, the chemist absorbed in his experiments and neglectful of his wife, who is wooed by a painter, and who pursues her with his attentions while the husband on his part appears to have some difficulty in dodging a lone widow, who has made up her mind that she is his affinity. The chemist apparently keeps open house for the entire neighborhood, his visitors not only including the philosophic veterinary in love with the invalid sister, but a drunken blacksmith, who beats his wife and who pursues her to the chemist's doorstep.

Before the play is over cholera reigns supreme, the veterinary has killed himself, and the invalid sister is a hopeless maniac. "And," explains the synopsis, "the people who have sacrificed almost all their lives to uplift the masses barely save their lives."

## W. G. MACKAY GOING HOME.

### English Actor Threatened with Appendicitis and His Play Postponed.

William Gayer Mackay, the English actor, who came here to produce "Doctor Wake's Patient," the play of which he and his wife are joint authors, under the management of Daniel Frohman, will return to London on March 21, if the state of his health will permit him to make the voyage so soon. Mr. Mackay gave a special matinée production of his play some time ago at the Garrick Theatre, and was later engaged by Charles Frohman for the title rôle of "Toddles," in which he has now been succeeded by John Barrymore.

Mrs. Mackay, speaking for her husband last night, said that he had retired from the cast of "Toddles" after opening in Baltimore and playing about one week, owing to his ill-health.

"I brought my husband back to New York," she said, "to see our own doctor, who tells us that he has had an attack of appendicitis. He does not think an operation necessary at present, but one may be performed when we reach London. He is getting better now. The production of 'Dr. Wake's Patient' was put off on account of the success of 'The Thief,' but it is likely that we shall return to America next season, and then the piece will be presented as a regular offering."

HOW THE BIG BRIDGE WAS BUILT.

Hurrying New Yorkers are familiar with the mighty framework that has been reared over the East River by way of Blackwell's Island, but the story of how that great bridge has been put together has not been told. An article in THE SUNDAY TIMES will describe the human side of it, the mid-air rivalry of the fearless workers, how the work has been done, and the connecting triumph achieved this week. It is an uncommonly interesting article.—Adv.

# CALVE AS CARMEN AT THE MANHATTAN

### First Appearance of Hector Dufranne as Escamillo a Noteworthy Characterization.

## DALMORES IN POOR VOICE

### Sang Only to Make the Performance Possible, as He Had Been Seriously Indisposed.

Mme. Emma Calvé returns at the end of this season, as she did at the end of last, for a brief engagement as "guest" at the Manhattan Opera House. Her first appearance was made there last evening, and in the natural order of events the opera appointed for it was "Carmen." Mme. Calvé in "Carmen," like the old masters, or like Beethoven, has different periods, manners, styles.

Her present manner was made known here last year, and it has not improved since. It is capricious and unruly in acting, and marked by the rudeness and eccentricities that find expression for passion in violent disarrangement of the furniture, and similar obvious demonstration. In her singing Mme. Calvé shows, more than she has before, the inroads of time upon her voice. The various registers of it have parted company, more or less, and all of them at times part company with the pitch. Certain of her tones were of disagreeable quality, and her upper tones are produced with more or less difficulty. Mme. Calvé did a good deal of singing last evening that was far from being a model of vocalization.

Yet, with all this, there remains the fascination of her personality and temperament that in many ways give so vivid and alluring an embodiment of Carmen. Her impersonation has become exaggerated and distorted, self-conscious, and in more than a few respects inartistic. But it still has that note of meridional and exotic passion, of willful depravity and sensuous allurement that makes itself felt and that exerts its attraction. The judicious may grieve at many of her doings and the injudicious may find amusement in that which spoils the dramatic consistency and force of her portrayal, but there is still much that is of the essence of Carmen in it and that exerts the old-time fascination. Thus her fortune-telling scene in the third act is a powerful piece of acting, filled with the suggestion of baleful foreboding.

The performance was noteworthy as presenting for the first time as Escamillo Mr. Hector Dufranne, who came to the Manhattan as the representative of Golaud in "Pelléas et Mélisande," and who had been seen and heard in New York in no other part. In Debussy's opera he had won much admiration for the nobility and beauty of his voice. It scarcely seemed last evening as if he were at his best in this regard. At any rate, his singing scarcely met the expectations that he himself had aroused, for his voice was often unsteady and of less richness and beauty of quality than it has been before. He was not very successful with the Toreador's song; in less exacting passages later there was more pleasure to be derived from hearing him. It was an admirable impersonation in its characterization, and showed the skill of an accomplished actor.

In other respects the performance was not equal to those that gave so much pleasure at the numerous repetitions of "Carmen" last season. Mr. Dalmorès, who was the Don José, had been suffering from serious indisposition, and an apology was made for him from the stage before the performance began by Mr. Arthur Hammerstein, who said that Mr. Dalmorès was singing only to make the performance possible. He was indeed in a bad condition, and husbanded his voice a great deal, but he did it with skill and discretion, and his portrayal of the luckless Brigadier had all the force and effectiveness and altogether remarkable intelligence that have been so much appreciated heretofore. The cast suffered from the substitution of Mr. Gianoli-Galetti in the minor part of Remendado, which Mr. Gilibert used to make of such value in the ensemble. Mme. Zeppilli was the Micaela, and made of it a pretty and ingenuous figure, but it is a part that pitilessly reveals faults of vocalization in those who attempt it. Mr. Campanini's conducting imbued the performance with energy and vitality. There was a very large audience present that was vociferous and enthusiastic in its applause.

## FOR WAGNER OPERA WEEK.

### Complete Cycle of "Ring des Nibelungen" to Follow Metropolitan Season

The complete cycle of Wagner's "Ring des Nibelungen" will be given at the Metropolitan Opera House during the week, immediately following the close of the regular season. The dates for these performances are April [illegible]3, 14, 16, and 18. Here are the complete casts of the music dramas:

"DAS RHEINGOLD."

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| Fricka | Mme. Fremstad |
| Freia | Mme. Rappold |
| Erda | Mme. Kirkby-Lunn |
| Woglinde | Miss Alten |
| Wellgunde | Miss Weed |
| Flosshilde | Mme. Kirkby-Lunn |
| Loge | Mr. Burrian |
| Alberich | Mr. Goritz |
| Wotan | Mr. Van Rooy |
| Donner | Mr. Waterous |
| Froh | Mr. Dippel |
| Mime | Mr. Reiss |
| Fasolt | Mr. Muehlmann |
| Fafner | Mr. Blass |

Conductor, Alfred Hertz.

"DIE WALKUERE."

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|---|---|
| Bruennhilde | Mme. Leffler-Burckard |
| Sieglinde | Mme. Morena |
| Fricka | Mme. Kirkby-Lunn |
| Walkueren | Mmes. Alten, Fornia, Jacoby, Kirkby-Lunn, Langendorff, Mattfeld, Weed, Woehning |
| Siegmund | Mr. Burgstaller |
| Wotan | Mr. Van Rooy |
| Hunding | Mr. Blass |

Conductor, Gustav Mahler.

"SIEGFRIED."

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|---|---|
| Bruennhilde | Mme. Fremstad |
| Stimme des Waldvogels | Mme. Alten |
| Erda | Mme. Kirkby-Lunn |
| Siegfried | Mr. Burrian |
| Der Wanderer | Mr. Van Rooy |
| Alberich | Mr. Goritz |
| Mime | Mr. Reiss |
| Fafner | Mr. Blass |

Conductor, Gustav Mahler.

"GOETTERDAEMMERUNG."

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|---|---|
| Bruennhilde | Mme. Leffler-Burckard |
| Gutrune | Miss Weed |
| Waltraute<br>Flosshilde | Mme. Homer |
| Woglinde | Miss Alten |
| Wellgunde | Miss Mattfeld |
| Siegfried | Mr. Burgstaller |
| Hagen | Mr. Blass |
| Gunther | Mr. Muehlmann |

Conductor, Alfred Hertz.

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## THE PHILHARMONIC CONCERT.

### The Last Regular Programme Devoted to Beethoven and Wagner.

The last programme of the regular series of the Philharmonic Society's concerts, given yesterday afternoon, and to be repeated to-night, was devoted to Beethoven and Wagner. Beethoven's Eighth Symphony was played, and Mme. Jomelli sang the air "Abscheulicher!" from "Fidelio"; of Wagner the prelude to "Die Meistersinger," and the scenes of Siegfried's death and Brünnhilde's immolation from "Götterdämmerung." In the latter Brünnhilde's music was sung by Mme. Jomelli.

Mr. Safonoff's ideas about Beethoven have been fairly well developed before this public by this time, and in accordance with them he gave an acceptable performance of the Eighth Symphony, one that did little violence to well-established ideas of its tempi, and that did not try to turn the "Tempo di Menuetto" into a slow movement. It was rather noisy—the fortes were all fortissimo, and conversely, the pianos mostly pianissimo, and the conductor succeeded in finding some inner voices to bring out above the melody. That is, of course, a triumph of intellectual reading. Mr. Safonoff's Wagner is also very loud, and in the "Meistersinger" prelude he lavished all the weight and power of the Philharmonic band upon it. There was great sonority, often of excellent quality, but there was not always a clear exposition of the marvelous web of polyphony that makes up so much of the work. In the music from "Götterdämmerung" the ground was less certain. There were some bad slips in the orchestra, and the performance lacked finish and broad sweep. This, too, was noisy, and often drowned the voice of the singer. We have lately had renewed exemplification of how entirely unnecessary this is in Wagner's music dramas, when the performance is in the hands of a conductor of fine feeling, poetic gifts, and commanding authority.

There was considerable applause, and Mr. Safonoff twice tried to make the members of the orchestra rise and take it themselves. They seemed to be somewhat surprised, and were not at all prompt or unanimous in responding.

Mme. Jomelli sang with intelligence and with a voice of excellent quality and power. She was overweighted, however, by both Beethoven's great air and the tremendous scene from "Götterdämmerung." It was almost inevitable that she should fall short of conveying all the poignant dramatic intensity of Leonore's air in "Fidelio," and the overwhelming tragedy and Olympian grandeur of Brünnhilde's apostrophe. These are only for artists of the highest powers, the highest flight of imagination. With all the admirable qualities that Mme. Jomelli has shown recently on the concert stage, she has not shown these, nor did she show them yesterday.

## CONRIED CONTRACTS STAND.

### Director Tells the Singers His Retirement Won't Affect Them.

As rumors still persist that when Heinrich Conried leaves the Metropolitan Opera Company the contracts of the artists will be void, the Director sent the following letter yesterday to all the members of the opera company:

I desire to formally notify you that, owing to the state of my health, I have resigned and shall accordingly retire at the close of the present season from the position of President and Managing Director of the Conried Metropolitan Opera Company.

To succeed me Mr. Giulio Gatta-Casazza, hitherto Director of La Scala in Milan, has been engaged as General Director, and Mr. Andreas Dippel has been appointed Administrative Director.

The Conried Metropolitan Opera Company, though it intends to change its name, will not be succeeded by a new company, but will retain absolutely unchanged its corporate entity and its legal status. The change in management or in name affects in no way the contractual relations existing between the company and the artists under engagements to it, and all such contracts continue in full legal force and effect.

I shall take occasion at some later day to bid you all farewell; meanwhile I bespeak for those who will follow me in the direction of this famous house the same loyal support and cordial co-operation which you have invariably given to me.

This explanation was sent by registered mail, so that there would be no doubt that each artist received the letter.

## MISS YAW TO SING IN "LUCIA."

### American Girl to Have Trial Performance with a View to Engagement.

Ellen Beach Yaw is to sing what is called a "trial performance" of "Lucia" at the Metropolitan Opera House next Saturday evening. Donizetti's opera will be sung in the place of "Marta," which was originally announced for that date.

Miss Yaw has sung in concert in America and has acquired a certain fame by her ability to sing high notes. She has never been heard in opera here, however, although she has sung on the lyric stage in France and Italy. She recently sang for Mr. Conried, and he agreed to give her a trial with the understanding that she would obtain an engagement next season if she justified his expectations.

The cast of "Lucia" will include Messrs. Bonci and Stracciari. Mr. Ferrari will conduct.

### City College Organ Recital.

In the Assembly Hall of the College of the City of New York Prof. Samuel A. Baldwin, head of the department of music, gave his seventh public organ recital yesterday afternoon. The students of Normal College were guests of the college at the recital. The first of a series of Sunday organ recitals, which are open to the public, is to be given by Prof. Baldwin to-morrow at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

### David Bispham to Sing at City College.

David Bispham, the baritone singer and former Metropolitan Opera House star, is to give a song recital this afternoon in the Assembly Hall of City College under the auspices of the Department of Education, of which Stephen P. Duggan is the head. Harold J. Smith will accompany him on the piano.

### Hammerstein Agent Back from Europe

C. Brignoli, Oscar Hammerstein's agent, who was successful in engaging Mme. Tetrazzini, arrived in New York yesterday on the Lusitania and was in conference with his impresario at the Manhattan Opera House last evening. He has been in Europe on private business for Mr Hammerstein in connection with contracts for next year.

### THEATRICAL NOTES.

Vira Stowe, who has been playing Denise Nerville in "Twenty Days in the Shade" at the Savoy Theatre, will leave the cast when the play goes to Chicago. She has been engaged by Will Page for his Summer stock company at the Belasco Theatre, Washington.

Pain's Manhattan Beach Spectacle and Fireworks will move to Brighton Beach for the season of 1908, and will occupy the field and inclosure there with a new spectacle, the nature of which is kept a secret for the present.

Harper & Brothers, owners of the copyright of "Ben Hur"; Klaw & Erlanger, the sole producers, and Henry L. Wallace, son of the author, have brought suit in the United States Circuit Court against the Kalem Company and Kleine Optical Company. They allege that the defendants, without authority, are producing the play in cheap theatres in this city with machines belonging to the Kleine Optical Company. Damages and an injunction are asked for.

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### Empress Breaks a Custom in Order to Attend Dinner with the Kaiser.

## BOTH SUFFER FROM COLDS

### Still They Talk Animatedly with Americans, of Whom Many Are Present at Function.

BERLIN, March 13.—Emperor William and Empress Augusta Victoria dined to-night with Charlemagne Tower, the American Ambassador, and Mrs. Tower. This was the fifth time the Emperor had dined at the American Embassy since Mr. and Mrs. Tower have been here, but the first time the Empress had accepted their hospitality, as it is her custom not to visit the Embassies. She did so in this instance as a special distinction in view of the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Tower will leave Berlin in the Summer.

The Ambassador and his wife to-night followed their rule of having as many Americans present as possible to meet the Emperor. Among the guests were Lloyd C. Griscom, American Ambassador to Italy, and Mrs. Griscom; Mrs. John B. Jackson, wife of the American Minister to Persia; Alexander H. Thackara, American Consul General at Berlin; Mrs. Thackara and the Misses Elizabeth and Elinor Thackara, Mrs. F. S. Clay Brown of Washington, George E. Eager, American Consul at Barmer, and Mrs. Eager; Frederick B. Miles of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Surette of New York, Frederick Cauldwell, American Vice Consul at Berlin; William T. Dannat, the American artist; Lieut. Commander Belknap, American Naval Attaché, and Mrs. Belknap, and John W. Garrett, Second Secretary, and Basil Miles, Third Secretary of the American Embassy here.

Although both the Emperor and the Empress were suffering from colds, they held animated conversations with the guests, chiefly the Americans.

## FAVERSHAM'S NEW PLAYS.

### Three More Acquired, One a Three-Act Drama in Blank Verse.

William Faversham signed contracts yesterday which give him possession of three new plays, besides two already announced for his use. Felix Isman, with whom he will henceforth be associated, has completed arrangements by which Mr. Faversham will remain at Daly's Theatre for three months, beginning Oct. 5, when he opens his engagement with "The World and His Wife," by Charles Frederick Nirdlinger. This drama will be preceded by a one-act play by Kate Jordan entitled "Susan's Gentleman," dealing with life in the slums. Miss Jordan is co-author with Julie Opp of "The House of Pierre," now being played in England by Martin Harvey.

Mr. Faversham has also purchased "Herod," the Stephen Phillips play which created a sensation in London last year when produced by Beerbohm Tree and was revived this season at Her Majesty's Theatre. This is a three-act tragedy in blank verse, which Richard Mansfield had planned to give in this country. Since his death several managers have made overtures for it. Mr. Faversham will be supported in this by Julie Opp, who will make her reappearance on the stage after a rest devoted to her two little boys, the younger now three months old.

The third play is as yet unnamed. It is from the pen of Martha Morton, and is a psychological drama of modern life in this city. The leading rôle offers strong emotional opportunities.

"The Barber of New Orleans," by Edward Childs Carpenter of Philadelphia, will follow the production of the other plays. Mr. Carpenter is best known as co-author with John Luther Long of the late lamented "Dragon Fly."

Mr. Faversham is now playing in "The Squaw Man" in Northampton, but will come to the Academy next Monday for an engagement of four weeks. Over the telephone he said yesterday:

"My connection with Mr. Isman will enable me to fulfill a long-cherished ambition, that of becoming an actor-manager. I shall supervise all the work behind the curtains, make the selection of all plays in which I am to appear, choose the companies for them, and attend to all the details of each production. Mr. Isman will have complete control of the business end.

"As to Frederic Thompson's claim to the Carpenter play, formerly entitled 'The Order of the Rose,' but recently renamed 'The Barber of New Orleans,' I would like to say that there can be no possible dispute in the matter. The signed contract for this play is now in possession of my attorney."

### Extra Philharmonic Concerts.

The Philharmonic Society has announced a pair of extra concerts outside of its subscription series, such as it has given in recent years. These will be given under Mr. Safonoff's direction on Friday afternoon, March 27, and Saturday evening, March 28, and will be devoted to Tschaikowsky's works. The orchestra will play the "Romeo and Juliet" fantasy overture, and the sixth or "pathetic" symphony. Mme. Teresa Carreno will be the soloist, and will play the B flat minor concerto for the piano.

### Felix Isman Wants Emma Carus.

Felix Isman has opened negotiations with Emma Carus, the musical comedy star, who is now in vaudeville. It is understood that Mr. Isman is negotiating with Miss Carus as the prospective star of a new musical production. A certain number of people profess to believe that he intends to attempt the organization of a "legitimate" circuit as well as the circuit of vaudeville houses to be booked by William Morris.

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## MOTHER OF HOTEL MEN DEAD.

### Mrs. E. P. Earle Lived to be 90—Sons Have All Been Bonifaces.

Mrs. Elizabeth P. Earle, widow of the late William P. Earle, one of the pioneers in New York hotel management, died at her home, 12 East Fifty-seventh Street, yesterday in her 90th year. She was born on Christmas Day, 1818.

Until she reached her 73d year she daily took horseback rides in Central Park. Three sons, William H. Earle, Eugene M. Earlé, and Frank T. Earle, and one daughter, Mrs. John L. Chadwick, survive her.

Gen. Ferdinand P. Earle, another son, died some time ago. She also leaves ten grandchildren and fifteen great-grandchildren.

All the sons are in the hotel business, and the family has at one time or another owned these hotels: Park Avenue, the old Bristol, Earlington, Netherland, Normandie, Earle's in Grand Street, and a number of out-of-town hostelries.

The funeral will be on Monday.

### Funeral of Sister Caroline.

Sister Caroline of the Protestant Episcopal Sisterhood of St. John the Evangelist, who died last Wednesday at the age of 71 years in St. John's Hospital, Brooklyn, was buried yesterday afternoon from St. Luke's Church. Sister Caroline entered the sisterhood thirty years ago, after the death of her husband, the Rev. Edgar H. Tallman. She had been in charge of St. Catherine's Hall, a school for girls in Washington Avenue, Brooklyn, for twenty-five years.

### Obituary Notes.

H. A. DELAND, founder of Deland, Fla., and one of the leading business men of Fairport, N. Y., died at Rochester yesterday.

WILLIAM ANDERSON, 58 years old, for twenty-five years Chief Boatswain in the Equipment Department of the Brooklyn Navy Yard, died on Wednesday at his home, 212 Clermont Avenue, Brooklyn. His widow, a son, and two daughters survive.

TIMOTHY D. BURROUGHS, a well-known resident of Madison, N. J., died at his home there yesterday, aged 73 years. He served through the civil war. He was in the dry goods business in New York for many years.

JAMES CANTWELL, a private detective employed by horse owners, died early yesterday morning in St. Catharine's Hospital, Williamsburg, of pneumonia. He lived at 84 Kent Avenue. He was 45 years of age.

JAMES H. TRENGOVE, a retired contractor of Millburn, N. J., died Thursday night at his home there following an illness of two years. He was 70 years old.

CLARENCE B. FARROW, a son of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Farrow of Glen Gardner, N. J., died at Ponce, Porto Rico, on Wednesday. He returned last July from the Philippines, where he spent six years as teacher and Principal and finally Superintendent of the public schools under the United States Government.

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## BELASCO CUTS OUT ST. LOUIS.

### Cancels Stars' Engagements at Garrick "Cheapened" by Moving Pictures.

*Special to The New York Times.*

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 13.—Moving pictures have cut St. Louis theatregoers off from the privilege of spending their money to see the Belasco stars this season. Because a flashograph, or whatever the makers happen to call this particular machine, has been running at the Garrick Theatre since the Italian opera season there closed a few weeks ago, David Belasco has canceled the engagements of David Warfield, Blanche Bates, and Frances Starr at that house.

Belasco declares that the Garrick has been "cheapened" by the motion-picture show. In this he shows himself more fastidious than the manager of Mrs. Fiske, who plays there next week.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

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The actual sales of The New York Times now exceed one million copies a week.

### Born.

SMITH.—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Hopkins Smith, Jr., 733 Park Av., on March 13, a son.

### Married.

HARE—PARSONS.—On Wednesday, March 11, 1908, by the Rev. Dr. William R. Richards, Constance, daughter of John E. Parsons, to Montgomery Hare.

DECKER—CARR.—On March 9, at Warwick, N. Y., Harry Decker to Estella F. Carr.

GORDON—FAYERWEATHER.—On March 11, at Paterson, N. J., Carrie Fayerweather to Malcolm Gordon.

WILLIS—WALLACE.—On March 12, Jane Wallace to Henry A. Willis.

### Died.

BROWN.—On Wednesday, March 11, 1908, at her residence, 771 Madison Av., Mary A., widow of Albert N. Brown, in the 91st year of her age. Funeral private.

CONVERS.—At St. Luke's Hospital, New York City, March 12, 1908, after a short illness, Jane Andrews Convers, widow of Ebenezer Buckingham Convers and daughter of the late John Wallingford and Lavinia Gwynne Andrews of Columbus, Ohio. Funeral services at her late residence, on Linden Av., Englewood, N. J., March 14, 1908, at 2:30 o'clock P. M. Please omit flowers. Train leaves Erie Railroad Ferry, West 23d St., New York City, 1:10 P. M.

EARLE.—On Friday, March 13, Elizabeth P., widow of William P. Earle, in her ninetieth year. Funeral at her late residence, 12 East 57th St., on Monday, March 16, at 11 A. M. Rockville (Conn.) papers please copy.

GARDOM.—On the 12th instant, at Paris, Catherine Frances, widow of George Gardom of Philadelphia, Penn.

GOSSMAN.—At Parkson Place, Price Hill, Cincinnati, Friday, March 13, at 6 P. M., Dorothy, beloved daughter of Oscar and Amelia Gossman, (nee Krug,) aged 7 years. Due notice of funeral.

GUSTHAL.—At his residence, 1,185 Lexington Av., March 13, 1908, Leopold Gusthal, in his 82d year. Notice of funeral hereafter.

IRVIN.—On the 11th inst., at her late residence, 154 East 74th St., Catherine Irvin, widow of the late Ralph V. Irvin and beloved mother of Mrs. M. J. Perault and Charles and Ralph V. Irvin. Funeral Saturday, March 14, at 9:30 A. M., in St. Vincent Ferrer's Church, Lexington Av. and 66th St., where a mass of requiem will be celebrated for the repose of her soul at half-past ten.

JOHNSTONE.—At Glen Ridge, N. J., on Thursday morning, March 12, Helen Parker Johnstone, eldest daughter of Cornelia Le Grande and the late Dr. Robert Johnstone, formerly of Selma, Ala. Funeral services at 96 Ridgewood Av. on Saturday afternoon, March 14, at 2:30 o'clock.

KATZ.—On March 13, 1908, at her late residence, 137 West 110th St., New York City, in her 71st year, Cecilia Katz, beloved mother of Sophia Streep, Rose Loewe, Rae, Bertha, Maxwell C. Katz. Funeral at convenience of family. Kindly omit flowers.

PEATS.—On March 13, Alfred Hamilton Peats, in the 44th year of his age, after a lingering illness. Funeral services will be held at St. Stephen's Church, Woodlawn, on Monday, March 16, at 2:30 o'clock. Kindly omit flowers.

PORTER.—On Wednesday, March 11, 1908, of pneumonia, at the residence of his parents, 44 West Sydney Av., Mt. Vernon, N. Y., John Guernsey Porter, Jr., only child of John G. and Mabel Porter, aged 6 years. Funeral private. Interment in Woodlawn, Saturday, March 14.

RICE.—At Red Bank, on Thursday, March 12, Emily A. Rice of Ocean Grove, N. J. Funeral services on Saturday, March 14, at 7 Allen Place, Red Bank, at 10:30 A. M. Buffalo and Albany papers please copy.

SALTER.—At Palm Beach, Fla., Tuesday, March 10, of pneumonia, in her 81st year, Mary Elizabeth Salter, widow of Dr. George H. C. Salter. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from Church of the Puritans, 130th St. and 5th Av., Sunday, March 15, at 2 P. M. Interment at Woodlawn.

WENDOVER.—On March 13, 1908, Selena Berry, widow of Samuel Warren Wendover, aged 72 years. Funeral services will be held at her late residence, 815 Washington St., Hoboken, on Monday, March 16, at 3 P. M.

WHITE.—Suddenly, of pneumonia, at Tangerine, Fla., on Thursday, March 12, 1908, Mortimer G. White, in his 67th year. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 285 Jefferson Av., Brooklyn, on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

WINTER.—On Thursday, Jessie Penton, wife of John Winter of Mahwah, N. J., and daughter of Samuel W. and Martha Grace McPherson, aged 28 years. Funeral Saturday, 14th instant, at 2:30 P. M., from Madison Square Presbyterian Church, 24th St. and Madison Av.

YORK.—On March 12, Helen M. York, widow of the late William York. Services at 352 East 145th St., Saturday, 2 P. M.

ANKERS.—At 402 Kosciusko St., Brooklyn, March 12, Mary Ankers. Funeral to-day.

BARRY.—At 729 2d Av., Astoria, March 11, John Barry, aged 68. Funeral to-day.

BERLAGE.—At 448 Bergen St., Brooklyn, March 12, Adele Berlage. Funeral to-morrow.

BRADY.—At 274 West 141st St., March 12, John H. Brady. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

BURRY.—At 20 Maple Av., Rosebank, S. I., March 12, John Burry, aged 47.

BURROUGHS.—At Madison, N. J., March 12, Timothy D. Burroughs. Funeral March 16.

CARMAN.—At 239 Duffield St., Brooklyn, March 12, Elizabeth Carman, aged 84.

CRAWFORD.—At 479 Convent Av., March 11, Priscilla Crawford, aged 41.

CRONIN.—At 5th Av. and St. Peter's Av., Westchester, March 12, Hanorah Cronin.

CROPPER.—At 233 Clifton Place, Brooklyn, March 11, Sarah Cropper. Funeral to-day.

DAVIS.—At Harrison, N. Y., March 12, Fannie Davis.

DONOHUE.—At 192 South 2d St., Brooklyn, March 13, Capt. William J. Donohue.

DOOLITTLE.—On March 12, William Doolittle, aged 47. Funeral from 8th Av. and 19th St.

DORAN.—At 165th St. and Walton Av., March 12, Hannah Doran. Funeral private.

EGENBERGER.—At St. Luke's Hospital, March 11, Annetta Wolf Egenberger, aged 41.

FITZSIMMONS.—On March 12, Charles Fitzsimmons, aged 35. Funeral from 206 West 30th St. to-day, 2 P. M.

FOLEY.—At 710 Hudson St., Hoboken, March 12, Timothy J. Foley. Funeral to-day.

FYANS.—At 549 Riverside Drive, March 11, Alice Fyans, aged 77. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

GERLACH.—At 944 Broad St., Newark, N. J., Julius Gerlach, aged 62.

GHEE.—At 1,215 East 39th St., Flatbush, March 12, Thomas Ghee, aged 80. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

GLASER.—On March 11, Julius Glaser, aged 67. Funeral from 312 West 37th St. to-day.

GRUNER.—At 222 Wyckoff St., Brooklyn, March 12, Jacob Gruner, aged 75.

HAMILTON.—At 480 12th St., Brooklyn, Ambrose C. Hamilton. Funeral to-day.

HAMMOND.—At 2,093 Pacific St., Brooklyn, March 12, Patrick Hammond. Funeral to-morrow.

HERSON.—At 191 Amity St., Brooklyn, March 11, John J. Herson.

HOEHN.—At 218 West 20th St., March 12, Emma Hoehn, aged 54. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

HOLLWEG.—At Poplar St., Westchester, March 11, Mrs. Hollweg, aged 48. Funeral private.

HYDE.—At 222 Quincy St., Brooklyn, March 11, Anna Hyde. Funeral to-day.

KANE.—On March 12, Maria Kane, aged 60. Funeral from 8th Av. and 19th St.

KONAP.—At 515 1st Av., Astoria, March 12, Mary G. Konap. Funeral March 16.

KOSTER.—At 50 Patchen Av., Brooklyn, March 12, Louis Koster, aged 63.

LARKIN.—At 131 De Kalb Av., Brooklyn, March 12, Margaret Larkin. Funeral to-morrow.

LEE.—At 435 West 30th St., March 12, John Lee. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

McDONALD.—At 22 Park Place, Brooklyn, March 10, Robert McDonald.

McGLYNN.—At 194 North 9th St., March 12, Patrick McGlynn, aged 34.

MAXWELL.—At 142d St. and Wales Av., March 11, Lawrence Maxwell. Funeral notice later.

MEYER.—At 1,233 Gates Av., Brooklyn, March 11, Anna Meyer, aged 53. Funeral to-day.

MILLER.—On March 12, Lucius W. Miller, aged 27. Funeral from 8th Av. and 19th St.

MOLLERS.—At 598 Bergen Av., John Mollers. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

MUNSON.—At Meadow Brook Farm, Hempstead, March 12, John W. Munson, aged 65.

NEWMAN.—At 2,007 5th Av., March 12, Sarah Newman, aged 93. Funeral to-day.

O'SHEA.—At 416 West 31st St., March 11, Mary O'Shea. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

PORTER.—At East Orange, N. J., March 11, Harry M. Porter, aged 39. Funeral to-morrow.

RICE.—At Red Bank, N. J., March 11, Emily A. Rice.

ROBINSON.—At 231 West 142d St., March 11, William Robinson.

ROMER.—At 2,045 East 17th St., Sheepshead Bay, March 11, Charles Romer, aged 69.

RUESS.—At 2 Bedford St., March 10, Henry Ruess.

SEMSEY.—At 408 East 135th St., March 11, Charles E. Semsey. Funeral to-day, 1:30 P. M.

STAATS.—At Bellevue Hospital, Peter Staats, aged 56. Funeral to-day, 11 A. M.

SULLIVAN.—At 1,153 2d Av., March 12, Mary E. Sullivan. Funeral notice later.

VAN HOUTEN.—At Middletown, N. Y., James Van Houten aged 38.

VOLLMER.—At 318 West 78th St., March 12, Lina Vollmer. Funeral to-day, 11 A. M.

WARMUTH.—At Corona, March 12, Frida Warmuth, aged 72. Funeral to-morrow, 2:30 P. M.

WAGNER.—At 342 West 25th St., March 11, Margaret Wagner. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

WEGLEIN.—At old 614 East 156th St., March 10, S. B. Weglein.

WEIGAND.—At 2,805 Canarsie Lane, Brooklyn, March 10, Frankie Wiegand, aged 9.

WITTPENN.—At 209 Hancock Av., Jersey City, March 12, John Wittpenn, aged 81.

WOLFE.—At 322 East 62d St., March 11, Ellen H. Wolfe. Funeral to-day, 1:30 P. M.

WOLFF.—At 201 West 117th St., March 11, Hedwig Wolff.

YUNG.—At 133 West 11th St., March 11, Anna Louise Yung. Funeral notice later.

ZIMMER.—At 131 Melrose St., Brooklyn, March 12, Elizabeth Zimmer, aged 39.

### In Memoriam.

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## REASONS FOR THE BREAK

### President Hotchkiss Welcomes Secession of A. C. A. from A. A. A.—Colgate Hoyt Gives His Views.

As a result of the break between the Automobile Club of America and the American Automobile Association it was positively stated yesterday by several autoists who are loyal to the policies of the National organization that a new automobile club will be formed in New York within a short time. Several members of the utomobile who were spoken to on the the subject declared that they wer not in sympathy with the action of the club in withdrawing from the State association and the A. A. A., and several of them viewed with favor the formation of a new club, which should represent the popular and practical elements of automobiling. These members declined to be personally quoted, as no definite plans have yet been made, and until all of the circumstances are better understood they preferred to remain in the background for the time being.

Autoists who have been at all familiar with the workings of both organizations know that the friction that has resulted in the final break has been in existence for several years. The reason by some members was stated to be the change made in the State association constitution at the meeting in Buffalo Thursday night that all clubs, irrespective of membership, should pay the $1 per member fee to the A. A. A. Last year, when the annual meeting of the State association was held in the A. C. A. rooms in this city, the argument was advanced by the A. C. A. that when a club reached a membership of 500 an annual payment of $500 should be sufficient for that club to pay into the treasury of the National association. The A. C. A. then had more than 1,000 members. The proposition was agreed to and the two clubs that profited by the change during the past year were the A. C. A. and the Automobile Club of Buffalo. The latter club now has 1,200 members, and it was due to the Buffalo Club, in view of the fact that the State association needed larger funds to carry out its legislative plans, that the former system of paying $1 per active member has been restored. Of this sum 75 cents is turned over to the treasury of the State association and 25 cents retained by the A. A. A.

Colgate Hoyt, President of the Automobile Club of America, disclaimed yesterday that the return to the old system of payment had anything to do with the club's withdrawal.

"The Automobile Club of America is the oldest club of its kind in the country," said Mr. Hoyt. "We simply withdrew because, in the opinion of the Governors, it did not seem to the best interests of the club to remain in the State association of the A. A. A. We think we can do better work by ourselves. Instead of being less active, we shall do more for automobiling, and will continue to give tests and competitions of various kinds. With our strong affiliations with foreign clubs and our touring information, we can offer every possible assistance to our large number of members. We are not fighting the A. A. A., as our present action was simply one of club policy."

President William H. Hotchkiss of Buffalo, who was in the city yesterday, gave out the following statement as voicing the views of the American Automobile Association in the matter:

"While the differences between New York's local club and the State association proper, which is a body of forty clubs, including one at Buffalo as large as the local club here, have ben brought to a head by the contemplated action of the State body, requiring the New York club to pay dues on a per capita basis of its full membership, the breach dates well back, and was originally opend by conflict over matters of State policy in legislation.

"It is, perhaps, proper for me, as President of the American Automobile Association, to say that I do not regret the resignation, but welcome it. It is high time that motorists understand whether a mere name adopted in the infancy of the motor vehicle of this country, and which has since become a misnomer, entitles any local body in any city, no matter how great, to lord it over hundreds of other clubs in other parts of the country. Indeed, the time has now come to determine whether the American Automobile Association represents those motorists or whether they are to be represented by a small clique of gentlemen who manage a local social club. I, therefore, hail the issue, and have no doubt of the result.

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### N. Y. U. Gymnasts Beat Yale.

Yale's gymnastic team fell before New York University in an interesting dual meet at the New York University last night by 33½ points to 20½. The feature was the fine work of J. Sernandez of the victors, who captured the side horse and parallel bar events. Capt. Thompson of New York University made his first appearance since his recent operation for appendicitis, and secured second place in tumbling. The summary:

Horizontal Bar.—Won by E. B. Baker, Yale; A. Rosenkants, New York University, second; R. C. Hoerle, Yale, third.

Side Horse.—Won by J. Sernandez, New York University; T. C. Everard, Yale, second; A. Ackerman, New York University, third.

Club Swinging.—Won by G. Flynn, New York University; R. O. Phillips, New York University, second; C. S. Hicks, New York, University, third.

Parallel Bar.—Won by J. Sernandez, New York University; T. C. Everard, Yale, second; E. C. Lewis, Yale, and A. Rosenkants, New York University, tied for third place.

Tumbling.—Won by R. C. Hoerle, Yale; W. Thompson, New York University, second; M. Werner, New York University, third.

Flying Ring.—Won by J. Kingsley, New York University; G. B. Baker, Yale, second; H. McNabb, New York University, third.

### Another Record for Smithson.

PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—At the indoor track meet of Company C, Third Regiment, National Guard of Pennsylvania, here to-night F. C. Smithson of Portland, Ore., representing the Twenty-second Regiment of New York, broke the world's record in the 50-yard hurdle for three hurdles, winning from scratch in 6 2-5 seconds. Scott of the University of Pennsylvania was second and Peloquin of Villanova third. The other events were unimportant.

## STUYVESANT SHOOTERS WIN.

### Defeat De Witt Clinton and Brant, Which Are Tied for Second.

Stuyvesant High School won a triangular shooting match at Bryant High School yesterday afternoon, making a total score of 232 to 220 each for the De Witt Clinton and Bryant teams. C. Struve and C. Austrian made perfect scores for Stuyvesant in the first half, which enabled the team to gain a lead, while De Witt Clinton's 112 was too much of a handicap to offset in the second half, when De Witt Clinton ran a string of 117. Stuyvesant fell only two points under the first-half mark in the last rounds, while Bryant was consistent throughout. The scores:

STUYVESANT.

| | 1st Half. | 2d Half. |
|---|---|---|
| C. Struve | 5 5 5 5 5—25 | 5 3 4 4 5—21 |
| G. Repko | 5 4 5 5 4—23 | 5 5 4 4 5—23 |
| E. Ehrhart | 5 5 5 5 4—24 | 5 5 5 5 4—24 |
| J. Repko | 4 4 4 4 4—20 | 5 5 4 5 5—24 |
| C. Austrian | 5 5 5 5 5—25 | 4 5 5 5 4—23 |
| Totals | 117 | 115—232 |

DE WITT CLINTON.

| | 1st Half. | 2d Half. |
|---|---|---|
| S. Hubbard | 5 4 5 5 5—24 | 5 5 4 4 5—23 |
| A. Waldman | 5 5 4 5 4—23 | 4 5 4 4 4—21 |
| C. Brown | 4 4 5 5 5—23 | 5 5 5 5 5—25 |
| B. Finkelstein | 4 4 5 5 4—22 | 5 5 5 5 5—25 |
| G. Hubbard | 4 4 4 4 4—20 | 4 5 5 4 5—23 |
| Totals | 112 | 117—229 |

BRYANT.

| | 1st Half. | 2d Half. |
|---|---|---|
| P. Coffey | 4 5 5 5 4—23 | 4 5 5 5 4—23 |
| Geo. Callaway | 4 5 5 4 4—22 | 4 4 5 5 5—23 |
| Geo. Grotz | 4 5 4 5 4—22 | 5 3 5 5 5—23 |
| I. Terwilliger | 5 5 5 4 5—24 | 4 4 4 4 5—21 |
| Y. Brundin | 4 5 5 5 5—24 | 4 5 5 5 5—24 |
| Totals | 115 | 114—229 |

### Cassignol Wins from Slosson.

F. Cassignol, the French billiard champion, defeated George F. Slosson again last night in the series of 18.2 balk line games between the pair at Slosson's Academy. The Frenchman ran his block of 500 in twenty-seven innings, while the "Student" made 289. This is the second game Cassignol has captured out of nine played. The score:

Cassignol—0 11 0 27 15 26 4 46 39 39 55 8 25 0 9 18 20 5 15 20 0 2 8 14 25 35 39. Total, 500; average, 14 14-27; high runs, 55, 46, and 39.

Slosson—1 2 8 15 1 1 39 0 6 17 4 0 24 0 5 12 1 43 42 12 0 18 2 2 33 1. Total, 289; average, 11 3-26; high runs, 43, 42, and 39.

### Goldman Easily Beats Meehan.

It required twenty-two innings for H. Goldman to defeat F. Meehan in the pool tournament now in progress at John T. Doyle's Academy, Forty-second Street and Broadway, last night. The final score was: Goldman, 50, and Meehan, 34. To-night W. Downs will play H. Phillips. The score:

Goldman—4 5 0 11 2 2 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 12 0 5 0 2 0 3 0 1. Total—50. High run, 12. Scratches, 4.

Meehan—6 2 0 1 4 2 0 0 0 0 12 0 0 2 0 3 2 0 0 0 0. Total—34. High run, 12. Scratches, 6.

# WRESTLERS FINISH IN CHAMPIONSHIPS

### Church Athletic League Tournament Ends with a Big Attendance.

## DECISIONS IN SIX CLASSES

### T. F. Cassidy Takes the Middleweight Prize After an Extended Period of Time for the Struggle.

The championships in wrestling of the Church Athletic League, after two nights of competition, were decided last evening in the gymnasium of the St. Bartholomew Athletic Club before an attendance that packed the building to the limits of its space. Six classes were decided, and the bouts, reduced by the primary contests to events of not more than two to five men in a class, produced the warmest possible contests, though in the main the very concentration of the struggles had the effect of cutting down the actual wrestling to about a minimum for that quality of sport. The one long and even competition of the night was that in the middleweight class for 158-pound men, in which the only competitors twice went the limit of time prescribed by the rules. T. F. Cassidy of the St. Bartholomew's Athletic Club finally got the decision in a close struggle with W. Widmeier. The summaries:

Bantam Weights, 105-Pound Class.—H. Alberts, St. Bartholomew's A. C., won from G. F. Wagner, St. Bartholomew's A. C. Time—0:56.

Featherweights, 115 Pounds.—G. F. Sephton, Grace A. C., beat Louis Long, Young People's Association. Time—0:16. Sephton, St. George A. C., beat A. Cortes, St. Bartholomew's A. C. Time—0:15. Result—Sephton, first; Cortes, second; Hess, third.

Special Weights, 125-Pound Class.—L. Ruggiero, St. Bartholomew's A. C., beat D. J. Mahoney, St. George A. C. Time—3:53. L. Ruggiero beat M. Helvorsen, Trinity A. C. Time—4:50. M. Helvorsen beat J. P. La Russo, St. Bartholomew's A. C. Time—4:15. Result—M. Helvorsen, first; L. Ruggiero, second; P. Merdell, third.

Lightweights, 135-Pound Class.—A. S. Rubin, Grace A. C., beat L. Ruggiero, St. Bartholomew's A. C. Time—1:31. Result—Rubin first, Ruggiero second, G. Steedman, St. Bartholomew's, third.

Welterweights, 145-Pound Class.—R. Tisney, St. George A. C., beat G. Ribsteen. Time—3:31. R. Tisney beat W. R. Spilzer, St. George A. C. Time—4:34. Result—Tisney first, Spilzer second, G. Ribsteen third.

Lightweights, 135-Pound Class.—A. S. Rubin, Grace A. C., beat L. Ruggiero, St. Bartholomew's A. C. Time—1:31. Rubin beat G. Steedman, St. Bartholomew's A. C. Time 0:32. Result—Rubin first, Ruggiero second, Steedman third.

Middleweights, 158-Pound Class.—T. F. Cassidy, St. Bartholomew's A. C., beat W. Widmeier, St. George A. C. Time—6:39. Result—Cassidy first, Widmeier second, W. Runge third.

Score on Points—St. Bartholomew's A. C., 31; St. George A. C., 30; Trinity A. C., 1; Grace A. C. 1, and Young People's A. C., 1.

### Tiger Wrestlers Outclass Cornell.

*Special to The New York Times.*

PRINCETON, N. J., March 13.—Princeton won from Cornell here to-night in the last dual wrestling meet of the season by four bouts to two. The middle weight bout was called off, as White of Cornell suffered a dislocated elbow in the first few minutes of the struggle against Ormond of Princeton. Ralph and King secured falls for Princeton by fast and aggressive work against Livermore and Wright. Talbot of Cornell had little difficulty with Forsythe of Princeton, and Peake of Cornell got a decision over Johnson of the Tigers. The Tigers clearly outclassed their opponents in science and speed, but fell short of the form they are expected to show in the intercollegiates next week. The summary:

Bantam Weight, 115 Pounds.—Won by Ward of Princeton on decision. Time—15 minutes.

Special Weight, 125 Pounds.—Won by Ober of Princeton on decision. Time—12 minutes.

Lightweight, 135 Pounds.—Won by Peake of Cornell on decision. Time—12 minutes.

Welterweight, 145 Pounds.—Won by Ralph of Princeton with a half Nelson. Time—8 minutes 25 seconds.

Light Heavyweight, 175 Pounds.—Won by King of Princeton with a head chancery and scissors hold.

Heavyweight.—Won by Talbot of Cornell with a crotch hold. Time—3 minutes 12 seconds.

### Lipton's New Shamrock a Racer.

LONDON, March 13.—In an interview to-day after he had made a visit to Fairlie to inspect his new cutter, which is approaching completion, Sir Thomas Lipton said: "She is a racer pure and simple and must not be called Shamrock IV., but simply Shamrock. I am reserving the lucky four-leaved shamrock for my next America's Cup challenger."

## HACKENSCHMIDT ARRIVES.

### Russian Wrestler Matched with Gotch for Championship of World.

George Hackenschmidt, the "Russian Lion," who arrived on the Cunard Line steamship Lusitania yesterday, had little to say regarding his match for the world's championship with Frank Gotch in Chicago on April 3. Hackenschmidt was met by his manager, W. W. Wittig, and T. S. Andrews of Milwaukee. He has changed very little since he was in this country three years ago, when he defeated Tom Jenkins for the championship. He was hurried through the customs and went to the Hotel Astor. He will begin light work at Brown's gymnasium to-day. In discussing his match with Gotch he said:

"I had made up my mind to remain on the other side and let the challengers come to me if they wanted a try for the title. I would have preferred to have had Gotch wrestle me in London, but Mr. Wittig's offer was so liberal and tempting that I could not well turn it down. At first I supposed he was trying to get me to take a chance, but when he deposited $10,000 cash I knew there was no fooling about it, and I made up my mind to go through with the match. I understand that Gotch is a greatly improved man and expects to win with his famous toe hold. Well, if he can get the toe hold on me I am willing to let him take a chance breaking it."

Hackenschmidt will make his first appearance in America on Monday night at the Grand Central Palace, where he will be pitted against a heavyweight. In the preliminary bouts Neil Olsen will wrestle Young Hackenschmidt, George Schraeble will meet Hans Lehnert of Germany at Graeco-Roman style, Tom McCarthy of Ireland will clash with Jim Comstock, and George Bothner will face Sailor Neilson of New York or Carl Christiansen of Norway.

### Penn Swimmers Make Record.

PHILADELPHIA, Penn., March 13.—The University of Pennsylvania defeated Princeton University in an intercollegiate dual swimming meet here to-night by a score of 40 points to 18. Pennsylvania swimmers were in excellent form and made two intercollegiate records, lowering the figures for the 800 feet relay from 2:46 to 2:40 4-5 and those for the 220-yard swim from 2:52 2-5 to 2:48 1-5.

### Groff Beats Cutler at Hockey.

Groff School defeated Cutler School last night in the first game for the Interscholastic Hockey League championship at St. Nicholas Rink, Sixty-sixth Street and Columbus Avenue, by the score of 5 to 4. The game was closely contested, the score being 3 goals all at the end of the second half. In the extra period Groff scored 2 goals and Cutler 1. The winning team was in better physical condition than their opponents and showed superior teamwork. The line-up:

| Groff, (5.) | Position. | Cutler, (4.) |
|---|---|---|
| Henderson | Goal | Stark |
| Worthington | Point | Story |
| Gross | Cover point | Herrick |
| Durand | Left wing | Crist |
| Farrell | Right wing | Orr |
| Carhart | Rover | White |
| Morrison | Centre | Perry |

Goals—Gross, (2,) Carhart, (2,) Herrick, (2,) Morrison, Crist, Orr. Referee—J. Keefe, Hockey Club of New York. Time of game—Two twenty-minute halves and an extra period.

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# Some of the Features of The Sunday Times

### *An Interview with Admiral Dewey*

With the arrival of the United States ships of war at Magdalena Bay there has come a renewed interest in the great fleet in Pacific waters. In The Sunday Times there will be a notable interview with Admiral Dewey. The distinguished naval officer speaks for the Administration in this matter and argues strongly for its programme. It is an article of timeliness and importance.

### *The Battle of the Bridge Builders*

New Yorkers are familiar with the mighty framework of iron that has been reared over the East River by way of Blackwell's Island. But the story of that great work has not been told. An article in The Sunday Times will tell how it has been done, the thrilling mid-air rivalry of the workers, the romance of it all. And it makes uncommonly good reading.

### *Light and Shade in a City Court*

The lights and shades of life in New York City are probably compressed nowhere else as well as in Jefferson Market Court. Everything from exceeding the speed limit to murder is discussed in the mediaeval-looking little court room on lower Sixth Avenue. A typical day in Jefferson Market, from morning until night, will be described in The Sunday Times.

### *A Vessel a Fifth of a Mile Long*

Think of a vessel a fifth of a mile long! The supremacy of those wonderful ships, Mauretania and Lusitania, is to be short-lived, for already two liners have been planned that will exceed them in length by more than two hundred feet. An article in The Sunday Times will describe these coming monsters, and the article will be accompanied by interesting and effective illustrations.

### *THE PICTORIAL SECTION*

The many thousands who are following with keen interest the great race of the automobilists from New York to Paris will find many pictures to interest them in The Sunday Times—pictures that show most graphically what the determined drivers of the five motor cars are going through. The great work being done in connecting the spans of the Blackwell's Island Bridge over the East River will be strikingly illustrated on another page. To a highly attractive reproduction of Chocarne-Moreau's "Apres l'Office," another full page will be given. Then there will be collections of photographs of beautiful women who are at present prominent in New York society and affairs of the stage. In different vein, but full of interest, are unusual photographs of British troops departing for India, and accompanying these are uncommon pictures showing how Norway drills her soldiers in the deep snows of winter time.

Hy. Mayer's pictorial review of the week will be found unusually enjoyable by readers of The Sunday Times to-morrow. The centrepiece, "Taft or I," is particularly amusing, and it has a good point as well.

The merry matching of wits in The Times's contests for missing answers and limerick lines brought hundreds of amusing answers, which will be printed to-morrow. Next week's contests will also be announced.

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### *How to Get The Sunday Times*

Readers of The Times are again reminded of the advisability of ordering the Sunday Edition well in advance of Sunday. Necessary arrangements with the newsdealers are such that this course is the only one by which delivery of the paper may be made a certainty. To-morrow's edition, in addition to features mentioned in this announcement, will contain an especially interesting review of the events and happenings in the capitals of Europe, received by wireless telegraph.

### *The Task of Taming the Moros*

Among the wards accumulated by this Nation in late years are "The Moros." Most readers know of these people but vaguely. The task of taming them may come under the head of "assimilation," but it is a difficult one. Thomas F. Millard has lately been among these people, studying them. They are a long way off, but interesting, nevertheless. Mr. Millard's article—a capital one—will appear in The Sunday Times.

### *The Anarchists of New York City*

Since Secretary Straus began the movement against the Anarchists in this country, Stephen Bonsal has been engaged in a study of the Anarchists who are to be found in or near New York City. He has learned many things of importance as well as of interest. His article will appear in The Sunday Times. It is an article well worth the attention that will without doubt be given to it.

### *A Billion Dollars in Gold*

One billion dollars in gold! Nearly every one likes to read about money, and here is a story—in The Sunday Times—of how it comes that there is, just now, in the Nation's strong boxes, the greatest amount of yellow coin in the country's history. It is a story full of attractive information. What such a pile of gold means and how it is guarded is well worth knowing about.

### *Suppose Everybody Economized?*

If Americans ate one-half as much meat they could save four hundred and fifty millions of dollars in twelve months. It is astonishing what economies might accomplish and what might be done with the savings, if the people could "get together." A novel article in The Sunday Times will give many interesting examples of what could be done by individual saving.

# NEW YORKERS FIND THEIR BATTING EYE

## Yankees Hit the Ball Hard and Field Perfectly Against Atlanta.

## BEAT SOUTHERN TEAM 8—3

### Ball, Niles, and Stahl Make Good Showing at Bat—Conroy and Ball Are Wizards in the Field.

*Special to The New York Times.*

ATLANTA, Ga., March 13.—Norman Elberfeld was obliged to lie off this afternoon on account of being spiked yesterday. The substitute, Ball, helped materially in winning the game from Atlanta, his triple in the seventh starting a batting bee that netted the New Yorkers their eight runs. His great catch of a liner in the fifth, when third base was occupied, prevented a sure three-bagger. Lake and Newton pitched for the Yankees. The former was invincible for four innings. Newton would not curve the ball, and Moran of the Atlantas met the straight ones for a triple, a single, and a home run.

A pleasing feature of the afternoon was the magnificent work of Conroy at third. He gathered up several slow bunts in his old, inimitable way, and batted and ran the bases in grand style. Charley Hemphill also showed much speed, and Harry Niles went from first to third on an infield out. The New Yorkers pulled off some clever tricks during the game, and outclassed the Southerners all the way. The same teams play again to-morrow. The score:

| NEW YORK. | R | 1B | PO | A | E | ATLANTA. | R | 1B | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Niles, 2b | 0 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 0 | Mann'g, lf | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Keeler, rf | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Collins, cf | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Stahl, lf | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | S'dheer, 3b | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Ball, ss | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 0 | Jordan, 2b | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Chase, 1b | 1 | 0 | 13 | 4 | 0 | Fox, 1b | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 1 |
| H'phill, cf | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Moran, rf | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Conroy, 3b | 1 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | Wilkes, ss | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 2 |
| Blair, c | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | Coveny, c | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| Lake, p | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Walsh, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Newton, p | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | Schoop, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | | Sitton, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Total | 8 | 10 | 27 | 19 | 0 | Total | 3 | 5 | 27 | 13 | 5 |

New York ..........0 0 0 0 0 0 3 5 0—8
Atlanta ..........0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1—3

Hits—Off Lake, none in four innings; off Newton, 5 in five innings; off Walsh, none in three innings; off Schoop, 2 in three innings; off Sitton, 8 in three innings. Three-base hits—Moran, Ball, Conroy, Manning. Two-base hits—Stahl, Hemphill. Home run—Moran. Stolen bases—Jordan, Stahl, Niles, Hemphill, Conroy. First base on errors—New York, 2. Double play—Manning and Sandheer. Bases on balls—Off Lake, 2; off Newton, 3; off Sitton, 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Sitton, 1; by Newton, 1. Struck out—By Lake, 1; by Walsh, 1; by Newton, 2; by Schoop, 1. Wild pitches—By Sitton, 1. Time of game—One hour and forty-five minutes. Umpire—Mr. Short.

### Hot Liner Injures McGraw's Hand.

MARLIN, Texas, March 13.—A hot liner from Hannifan's bat caught Manager McGraw on the first two fingers of the right hand in the practice of the Giants at Marlin to-day, and both fingers were laid open to the bone. It was feared that the index finger had been broken, but a physician who was summoned decided that this was not so, but that the injuries would take quite as long to heal as if a break had occurred, so that the energetic little manager will do most of his directing from the bench during the next two weeks.

### First Local Ball Game of Season.

The first baseball game of the season in this vicinity took place yesterday afternoon in Long Island City, when the Johnson team was defeated by the Bittman nine by the score of 2 to 1. Both teams are composed of members of the engineering staff of the Borough of Queens' Topographical Bureau, and are named after chiefs in the department

## CABLE CHESS MATCH STARTS.

### Americans Stand Splendid Chance of Defeating English Team.

The tenth international cable chess match was begun yesterday morning, when ten Americans were pitted against an equal number of Britishers for possession of the Sir George Newnes silver trophy, now held by the Britishers.

The match was played at the Brooklyn Chess Club, 4 Court Square, Brooklyn, and at the Hotel Savoy, under the auspices of the City of London Chess Club, at London. After the usual exchange of courtesies the names of the teams were cabled hither and thither, and it was shown that the players faced each other as follows:

| AMERICA. | | GREAT BRITAIN. |
|---|---|---|
| Hodges | vs. | Blackburne |
| Voigt | vs. | Atkins |
| Helms | vs. | Lawrence |
| Delmar | vs. | Richmond |
| Stadelmann | vs. | Wainwright |
| Howell | vs. | Ward |
| Schietzer | vs. | England |
| Wolbrecht | vs. | Michel |
| Libaire | vs. | Palmer |
| Robinson | vs. | Sergeant |

The confidence of the American team seems to be warranted by the fact that it has very strong positions on Boards 2, 3, and 4, while, with the exception of the eighth and tenth games, positions are otherwise even. The Howell-Ward game was drawn on the sixth board.

### Interclass Meet at C. C. N. Y.

The senior class of the College of the City of New York won a closely contested interclass track meet last evening in the college gymnasium on Washington Heights. The individual point getter was Johnson, 1908, a colored runner, who won the mile and half-mile events, the former race from the scratch mark in fairly fast time. Johnson also ran the best quarter-mile in the interclass relay race, which was also won by 1908. The freshman athletes were the surprise of the meeting, pressing the senior track men very hard. The freshmen winners were Weber in the 600-yard novice, Juna in the high jump, and Langman in the running broad jump. Not the least interesting feature of the programme was the 420-yard match relay race between Townsend Harris Hall's 120-pound team and the 1912 team. Townsend Harris Hall won rather easily in 0:49. The score in points: 1908, 28; 1911, 23; 1909, 20; 1910, 5; 1912, 5.

Summary of events:

100-Yard, handicap.—Won by Ed Coyle, 1909, (2 feet;) Gaffney, 1911, (4 feet,) second; Roberts, 1911, (3 feet,) third. Time—0:12.

880-Yard Run, handicap.—Won by Johnson, 1908, (7 feet;) Norman, 1010, second; Stander, 1908, (5 feet,) third. Time—2:15.

Match Relay, 420 yards, four men, each man to run 105 yards, Townsend Harris Hall vs. C. C. N. Y. freshmen.—Won by Townsend Harris Hall, with Henry, Bogen, Hajack and Tolmack. Time—0:49.

600-Yard Novice.—Won by Weber, 1911; Herscher, 1909, second; Katz, 1910, third. Time—1:35.

300-Yard Novice, Townsend Harris Hall.—Won by Polley; Henry, second; Hyman, third. Time—0:40.

440-Yard Run, handicap.—Won by Larkin, 1908; Schaeffer, 1908, second; Starr, 1909, third. Time—0:59 2-5.

One-Mile Run. — Won by Johnson, 1908, (scratch;) Rosenberg, 1909, (40 feet,) second; Bischoff, 1911, (20 feet,) third. Time—4:53.

16-Pound Shot Put, handicap.—Won by Frank, 1912, (scratch,) with 38 feet; Schultz, 1909, second, with 32 feet; Mardfin, 1908, third, with 30 feet.

One-Mile Interclass Relay, each man to run four laps.—Won by class of 1908, (Johnson, Schaeffer, Weisman, and Larkin;) 1909, second, (Wolfson, Frank, Coyle, and Grattan;) 1910, third.

Running High Jump, handicap.—Won by Juna, 1911, (scratch,) with 5 feet 3 inches; Langman, 1911, (1 inch,) second, with 5 feet 2 inches; Larkin, 1908, (5 inches,) third, with 4 feet 9 inches.

Running Broad Jump, handicap.—Won by Langman, 1911, (1 foot,) actual jump 18 feet 7 inches; tie for second between Brand, 1909, and Siedler, 1908, (2 feet,) 16 feet 5 inches.

### Baldridge Wins from Leidig.

W. Baldridge and P. Leidig, with handicaps of five points each, played an interesting game of three cushions at Maurice Daly's Academy last night. Baldridge won by 25 points to 22 in twenty-six innings.

### Bankers Sail for Europe To-day.

H. P. Davison, Vice President of the First National Bank; W. H. Porter, President of the Chemical National, and D. E. Pomeroy, Treasurer of the Bankers' Trust Company, sail together to-day on board the American liner St. Paul for a trip to Europe. The members of the party have been looking forward to a vacation for some time after the strenuous days of last Fall, in the stirring events of which Mr. Davison played a specially active part.

## CANADIAN INTERESTS LOSE.

### Injunction Denied in Suit Involving Lake Superior Corporation.

Vice Chancellor Garrison, in Jersey City yesterday, denied an injunction in the suit of the Canadian Improvement Company against J. Tatnall Lea and others, officers of banks in Philadelphia, to restrain a group of New York and Philadelphia bankers from voting 50,000 shares of Lake Superior Corporation stock held by the banks as collateral.

The suit was the result of the financial difficulties which overcame the Consolidated Lake Superior Company in 1903. The Lake Superior Corporation was organized as the successor of the Consolidated Lake Superior Corporation, and the Canadian Improvement Company was organized by the Canadian interests to complete the financing of the transfer of the property.

The Government of the Province of Ontario also loaned $1,000,000 to complete the deal. Subsequently a dispute arose as to the absolute control of the property by the Canadian interests, and the Canadian Improvement Company finally begun suit for an injunction to restrain various banks, principally in Philadelphia, from voting on stock of the Lake Superior Corporation which they had obtained as collateral for loans.

As the decision stands, the Canadian interests will be compelled to share the control of the property with the American interests.

## NO STEEL RAIL DISPUTE.

### Price Under Discussion of Specially Made Rails for the Pennsylvania.

Reports published yesterday of a controversy between the Pennsylvania Railroad and the United States Steel Corporation, an official of the road said, were without foundation. The Steel Corporation has not refused to manufacture rails under the Pennsylvania's specification, nor has the Pennsylvania addressed other roads for the purpose of inviting a discussion of the matter. It is true that the price to be paid for the new rails is under discussion.

It is well known in railroad cricles that many other roads give their orders for rails on the basis of the Pennsylvania's specifications, and for this reason it is natural that care should be used in fixing a price for the new rails, for it will govern not only the Pennsylvania Railroad's order but other orders as well.

## TRADE CONDITIONS.

Discussing general trade conditions, Dun's Review says in its issue of to-day:

Sentiment is more cheerful because of good weather for farmwork and higher prices for securities. Actual progress in commercial channels is slow, but there is a little improvement each week, while evidences of an early Spring have stimulated sales of seasonable wearing apparel in most jobbing and wholesale departments. Retail trade is quiet, as usual at this time, although the better feeling extends to those branches of business also because of the larger pay rolls. Many manufacturing plants have increased forces, especially the factories that supply farming implements and the canning industry. Some reductions of wages are announced to take effect on April 1, and thus far no serious strikes are threatened. If the contraction of trade that has occurred necessitates lower wages, any controversy will undoubtedly retard restoration of normal conditions. Building permits in February showed a large decrease as compared with the same month last year, but most of the loss was at this city, which has shown the effects of the setback more than other sections of the country. Railway earnings are increasing, the loss for the first week of March being only 13 per cent. in comparison with the same week last year.

Bradstreet's says:

There is quite considerable improvement in both the tone of general distributive trade and in the volume of business actually booked by jobbers. Retail trade, too, has enlarged slightly as the result of Springlike weather over a large area, the advance of the season, and the better appearance of the early crop situation. Withal, however, there is little change to be seen in the character of the buying, which is still along very conservative lines, and while the volume of business doing is larger now than at any time since last Fall, the shrinkage from a year ago is distinct and unmistakably large. Collections are still very backward; prices of staples tend lower, as for a long time past; the earning power of employes in many lines of industry is being curtailed by short time or wage reductions, and the threat is made that a refusal to accept lower wages may result in a widespread suspension of activity in the coal trade. The demand for iron and steel shows little real expansion, aside from some lines like wire and similar goods; old material tends to ease, and many consuming plants are running on short time. The long-standing curtailment of cotton goods production shows no signs of ending; in fact, a continued heavy cut in production is indicated, and notice has been given, in addition, of a 10 per cent. reduction in wages at some Eastern mills. In view of the reductions already announced or projected in wages, the gradual weakening of staple products, and other signs of reduction of cost of production, the proposition to obviate a general reduction of railroad men's wages by advancing railway freight rates lacks elements of strength.

### Little Board's New Secretary.

James E. Lynch has been elected Secretary of the Consolidated Exchange by the Board of Governors of that institution to fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of Rudolph Huben. Mr. Lynch was in the service of the Exchange exactly twenty years on Thursday last, a number of which were spent as Mr. Huben's assistant. Because of his long service in that capacity he is particularly well equipped to fill his new position.

### NEW YORK INCORPORATIONS.

*Special to The New York Times.*

ALBANY, March 13.—The following companies were incorporated to-day:

Orvis Economy Furnace Company, New York; capital, $500,000. Directors—Orland D. Orvis, 115 West Ninety-sixth Street; Joseph A. Prout, 350 West Twenty-eighth Street, New York; John Claffy, 27 Tompkins Place, Brooklyn.

Sovereign Electric Manufacturing Company, New York; capital, $150,000. Directors—Lillia O. Hall and Edwin B. Hall, 317 West Ninety-third Street, New York; Landon P. Smith, Mount Kisco, Westchester County, N. Y.

Coast and Interior Contracting Company, New York; capital, $100,000. Directors—A. V. Jones, 123 West 116th Street; F. W. Mills, 154 Nassau Street; H. M. Browne, 422 St. Nicholas Avenue, New York.

Blanchite Paint Company, New York; capital, $100,000. Directors—Edward B. Close, Washington, D. C.; William A. Tilt, The Wyoming, Fifty-fifth Street and Seventh Avenue; L. A. Harkness, 135 Broadway, New York.

Metal Ties Company, New York; capital, $100,000. Directors—Jacob Stewart Andrews, 21 Park Row; Alexander R. Gulick and Archie W. Palmer, 170 Broadway, New York.

Eastern Mill and Material Company, White Plains, Westchester County; capital, $75,000. Directors—Coleman H. Clark, Godfrey Larson, and Edward Johnson, White Plains, N. Y.

Wood-Young Company, Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, (clothing;) capital, $50,000. Directors—Charles F. Wood, Hotel Martinique; Henry C. Peck, 116 Riverside Drive, New York; Gilbert M. Young, 105 Macon Street, Brooklyn.

Brandon Manufacturing Company, Yonkers, Westchester County, (machinery;) capital, $25,000. Directors—R. E. Buchanan and Merritt M. Pharo, Cos Cob, Conn., and A. E. Wood, Yonkers, N. Y.

H. W. Everitt & Co., New York, (dye stuffs;) capital, $25,000. Directors, Henry W. Everitt and John R. Gardner, 100 William Street; S. Kendrick Everitt, 74 Riverside Drive, New York.

Knickerbocker Taximeter Cab Company, New York; capital, $15,000. Directors—William B. Hurlburt and Sanford J. Wise, 1,540 Broadway, and Stewart H. Elliott, 1,183 Broadway, New York.

William B. Reeves Company, New York, (mineral waters;) capital, $10,000. Directors—William B. Reeves, Charles E. Culpepper, and Mabel E. Nelson, 297 Eighth Avenue, New York.

City Boot Blacking Company, New York; capital, $10,000. Directors—William W. Burgess and James H. Abeel, 949 Broadway, and Louis Hertz, 102 West Thirty-eighth Street, New York.

West Harlem Poultry Company, New York; capital, $5,000. Directors—Isaac Fox and Annie Fox, 67 West Ninety-seventh Street, and William H. Cosman, 1,204 Amsterdam Avenue, New York.

Gem Costume Company, New York; capital, $5,000. Directors—Louis Kantrowitz, Samuel Bernstein, and Margaret Bernhardt, 147 West Twenty-fourth Street, New York.

Gretsch Sales Company, New York; capital, $2,000. Directors—Ralph Gretsch and Alice S. Gretsch, 658 Decatur Street, and Otto G. Webb, 1,126 Pacific Street, Brooklyn.

General Tire Repair Company, New York; capital, $2,000. Directors—Charles W. Rehermann, Joseph W. Rehermann, and John F. Rehermann, 220 West Forty-eighth Street, New York.

Business Men's Development Company of Long Island City; capital, $1,000. Directors—William Richenstein, 36 Jackson Avenue; John A. Leach, 26 Jackson Avenue; George J. Ryan, 44 Jackson Avenue, Long Island City, N. Y.

De Leon Realty Company, New York; capital, $1,000. Directors—Harry Aronson and Selina Aronson, 51 East Ninety-seventh Street, Hyman Rosenfeld, 75 East 114th Street, New York.

De Cordova-Boyer Company, New York, (amusements;) capital, $1,000. Directors—Leander De Cordova and Claude C. Boyer, 114 West Thirty-ninth Street; Mayer C. Goldman, 116 Nassau Street, New York.

Bartsch & Irving Publishing Company, New York; capital, $1,000. Directors—Robert H. Bartsch and Alfred H. Bartsch, 87 Frankfort Street; John W. Irving, 132 West Forty-fifth Street, New York.

**Increased Capital.**

Shiman-Miller Manufacturing Company, from $21,000 to $71,000. Attorneys—Miller & Bretzfelder, 120 Broadway, New York.

## D. & H. DIVIDEND SAFE.

### It Will Be Paid on Monday, Suit to Enjoin It Being Withdrawn.

With the announcement that Hymans & Zoon of Amesterdam had withdrawn the authority they had given to Ward, Mellen & Woodbridge to bring legal proceedings in the movement against the Delaware & Hudson, the attempt to prevent the payment of that road's dividend, which is payable next Monday, came to an end yesterday.

This development followed quickly the announcement that Ward, Mellen & Woodbridge had filed with the up-State Public Utilities Commission a complaint against the Delaware & Hudson, alleging the same grounds for holding the company financially embarrassed as were presented in the case before Justice O'Gorman of the State Supreme Court, who on Thursday refused to enjoin the payment of the Delaware & Hudson's dividend.

The news that the Dutch bankers did not wish to push the injunction proceedings, which had been brought in their name before Judge Ray of the United States Court, came in an announcement yesterday by Probst, Wetzlar & Co., the New York correspondents of Hymans & Co. This was their statement:

> We are authorized by Messrs. Hymans & Zoon, Amsterdam, to state that they never consented to the use of their name in requesting an injunction of the payment of the Delaware & Hudson Company in the suit instigated at Norwich.

In explanation the bankers said that there had been misunderstanding on both sides regarding the matter. The lawyers issued this statement:

> This morning we received a cable from Messrs. Hymans & Zoon of Amsterdam withdrawing the authority which we had received to take certain proceedings against the Delaware & Hudson Company. After conference with counsel representing the various parties interested, and a representative of Messrs. Probst, Wetzler & Co., the New York representatives of Messrs. Hymans & Zoon, we have concluded to discontinue all proceedings instituted by us in behalf of Messrs. Hymans & Zoon, notwithstanding their previous correspondence with us

To put this decision into effect a stipulation was given the attorneys for the Delaware & Hudson consenting to the discontinuance of the proceedings brought before Judge Ray.

Yesterday's developments, therefore, clear the way for the payment of the dividend on Monday.

### Weekly Failure Report.

Bradstreet's reports 278 failures in the United States during the week, against 287 for the previous week, and 185, 187, 185, and 193 in the corresponding weeks of 1907 to 1904. The Middle States had 85, New England 28, Southern 86, Western 45, Northwestern 14, Far West 19, and Territories 1. Canada had 31, against 49 for the preceding week. About 31 per cent. of the total number of failures had capital of $5,000 or less, 13 per cent. had from $5,000 to $20,000 capital, and 2 per cent. had from $20,000 to $50,000 capital.

### Knickerbocker Directors Meet.

The old Board of Directors of the Knickerbocker Trust Company spent two hours yesterday in discussing the plans for reopening on March 26. Most of the time was spent in discussing routine matters and in determining the form of certificates to be issued to depositors. No information was given by the Voting Trustees, Henry C. Frick, Myron T. Herrick, and Lewis Cass Ledyard, as to the make-up of the new Board of Directors. There will be another meeting of the old board on Monday.

### Transportation Company Increases Stock.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 13.—The Directors of the Hartford & New York Transportation Company have voted an increase in its stock from $750,000 to $2,000,000, and the number of shares of stock will be increased from 30,000 to 110,000.

## UPHOLDS REPLEVIN WRITS.

### Court Decides Receiver Can't Take Goods Seized by Sheriff.

The United States Circuit Court of Appeals has handed down an important decision against the practice of receivers in bankruptcy taking, by order of the United States District Court, property from the Sheriff which had been replevined by the Sheriff prior to bankruptcy proceedings.

The decision is in the case of L. Rudnick & Co., manufacturers of children's clothing at 95 Bleecker Street, against which concern a petition in bankruptcy was filed on April 20. Deputy Sheriff Altman received a writ of replevin on April 19 in favor of Simon and Louis Brinn, which called for 920 yards of cloth. The Sheriff found the cloth had been made into suits, and he levied on the suits, 326 in number. Under an order of the United States District Court the receiver in bankruptcy demanded the suits from the Sheriff, and subsequently sold them.

In its decision the United States Circuit Court of Appeals holds that the United States District Court has no jurisdiction by summary order to compel the Sheriff to deliver property replevined before bankruptcy proceedings to a receiver appointed by the United States Circuit Court.

## LUMBER DEALERS FAIL.

### Old Firm of Bell Brothers Carried Down by Bad Debts.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed yesterday against the lumber firm of Bell Brothers, whose yards are at the foot of East Fifty-third Street, and which was established in 1840 by John P. Bell.

The failure of the old firm is attributed to heavy losses in bad debts last year. The liabilities are $65,000, and nominal assets $250,000. This sum includes, however, the bad debts and other doubtful accounts.

Several creditors had agreed to accept 25 cents on the dollar, but the Atlantic Coast Lumber Company, a creditor for $1,000, did not accept, and brought suit in the City Court on a two days' summons. In order to avoid any foreclosure Bell Brothers consented to go into bankruptcy. William R. Bell, 80 years of age, only surviving member of the old firm, and his son, W. R. Bell, Jr., compose the firm.

## LATEST CUSTOMS RULINGS.

### Customs Officers Cannot Reliquidate Entries After One Year.

It was decided yesterday by the Board of United States General Appraisers that Collectors of Customs and other officials have no right to reliquidate an entry after the expiration of one year.

The test case came before the board in the form of a protest filed by F. B. Vandegrift & Co. of New York, who objected to the action of the Collector. General Appraiser Hay, who writes the decision for the board, holds that the Collectors of Customs have no right to reliquidate entries of merchandise after one year. The decision says that the Collector is limited in the reliquidation of an entry to the time prescribed by the act of June 22, 1874. It is held that the proviso of Section 1 of the act of March 3, 1875, does not modify or repeal Section 21 of the act of 1874, nor grant any new power to the Collector in the reliquidation of any entry.

Under the circumstances, the board sustains the contention of the importers that the action of the Collector was illegal. The Collector is reversed and the officer is directed to make suitable refunds to the protestants.

The New York Leather Belting Company of New York was defeated yesterday in a controversy regarding the classification of belts, composed in chief value of cotton. The board decided that the belts must pay 45 per cent. and not 30 per cent., as contended by the importers.

## Arrival of Buyers

Buyers may register in this column by telephoning 1000 Bryant.

Emery-Bird-Thayer Dry Goods Company, Kansas City, Mo.; George C. King, cloaks, suits, waists, and skirts; 396 Broadway.
Galland Brothers, Wilkesbarre, Penn.; M. Galland, muslin underwear; Hotel Imperial.
Schmidt, Heinly & Baer, Logansport, Ind.; E. Schmidt, dry goods; Hotel York.
Appel, H., Denver, Col.; dry goods and notions; Hotel Woodward.
Bimberg, M., Elmira, N. Y.; piece goods; Hotel Broztell.
Kaufman Brothers, Pittsburg, Penn.; L. Kaufman, cloaks, suits, and waists; 648 Broadway; Hotel Latham.
Wyckoff, A. B., Stroudsburg, Penn.; dry goods and notions; The Breslin.
Baer, J. W., Los Angeles, Cal.; dry goods and notions; The Breslin.
Weil Brothers & Wile, Buffalo, N. Y.; J. Weil, woolens; Hotel Victoria.
Cohen, A., & Brother, Johnstown, Penn.; L. L. Cohen, clothing; The Breslin.
Stearns, R. H., Company, Boston, Mass.; W. I. Wood, millinery, neckwear, and leather goods; Hotel Imperial.
Frear, William H., & Co., Troy, N. Y.; W. S. Raleigh, flannels; Park Avenue Hotel.
Glaze, Hall & Co., Philadelphia, Penn.; E. Hall, dress goods; Grand Union Hotel.
Fowler, Dick & Walker Dry Goods Company, Wilkesbarre, Penn.; M Burnside, dress goods, silks, and laces; 436 Broadway; Hotel Grand.
Callender, McAuslan & Troupe, Providence, R. I.; C. W. Morrison, cloaks, suits, and waists; 2 Walker Street.
Clement-Williams Company, Milwaukee, Wis.; W. T. Bertle, rugs; Continental Hotel.
Barker & May, New London, Conn.; W. T. May, clothing; Hotel Marlborough.
Goldstein, R., & Co., Rochester, N. Y.; R. Goldstein, piece goods; Hotel Victoria.
Shulman Company, Norfolk, Va.; L. R. Shulman, furnishing goods; Hotel York.
Davidson, J. E., Sons, Schenectady, N. Y.; F. Davidson, clothing; Herald Square Hotel.

G. SIDENBERG & CO.
477 AND 479 BROADWAY.
Laces, Nets, White Goods, Neckwear, Shirt Waists.

GARTNER, SONS & CO.
478-482 BROADWAY,
RIBBONS.

AITKEN, SON & CO. Broadway & 18th St
Wholesale Departments.
Pattern Hats, Flowers, Feathers, Millinery Novelties, Straw Hats, Plateaux, Strips and Braids, Silks, Velvets, Ribbons, Laces, Veilings, Malines, Dress Trimmings, Robes, Embroideries, All-Overs, Neckwear, Blouses, Children's Millinery and Model Garments.

Guide for Buyers
Cards may be inserted here upon order through telephone 1000 Bryant.

ANDIRONS (Brass and Iron.)
Janusch Mfg. Co., 18 East 22d St.
ANTIQUE LAMPS.
Janusch Mfg. Co., 18 E. 22d St. Also modern.
The Antique Lamp Mfg. Co., 33 W. 125th St.
APRONS.
Kursheedt Apron Co., 605 B'way. Rompers.
ART GLASS SHADES.
Cont'l Art Glass & Brass Co., 22 Howard St.
Unique Art Glass & Metal Co., 46 Park Pl.
ART LINENS, EMBROIDERY MATERIAL, NOVELTIES.
Bentley, Chas. E., Co., 583 Broadway.
Frankenberg, Henry E., 457 Broome St.
ART & ELECTRICAL FIXTURES.
Universal Wodo Carving Co., 258 W. 28th St.
AUTO COATS.
Silberman, Scheer & Meyer, formerly M. Silberman & Co., 36-38 W. 20. Also Raincoats.
AWNINGS, TENTS, AND FLAGS.
M. Magee & Son, 147 Fulton St.
Martin, Thomas, 326 Canal St.
BAGS AND BELTS.
Cohn, Louis, & Co., 467 B'way. Hair Orn.
Margolin & Hoppenfeld, moved to 583 B'way
BASKETS AND WILLOW WARE.
Charles Zinn & Co., 138 and 140 Grand St.
BOYS' BLOUSES, WAISTS & SHIRTS
Edman Bros., 105 Franklin St. Est. 1889. Also Wash Suits and Knee Pants.
BRAIDS.
Kursheedt Mfg. Co., The, 488 Broadway.
Novelty Braid Mills, "V.N.&T.," 106 Grand St.
Sutro Bros. Braid Co., 127 Spring St.
BUCKLES FOR CLOTHING MFGRS.
J.DukasCo.,335 B'way.GlideB'kl's,Adv.Brushes
CARPETS, RUGS, AND OILCLOTHS.
Union Carpet Co., 221-223 Canal St.
CHILDREN'S DRESSES & ROMPERS
E. B. Kursheedt Apron Co., 605 Broadway.
CLOAKS AND SUITS.
Eckhardt, J. H., 154 Grand, Ladies' Silk Coats
Moyses & Dreyfus, 135 5th Ave.
Rothschild, L., 45 E. 8th St. Ladies' Silk Coats.
U.S.Crav.R.C.Co.,28 W.15. SilkRub'rizedCoats
CORSETS.
Boston Hygienic Corset Co., 1 West 34th St.
COSTUMES & Shirt Waist Dresses.
J. Goldberg, 27 West 24th St.
CROCKERY & Porcelains, (Japanese.)
Vantine, A. A., & Co., 18-20-22 East 18th St.
DIAMONDS—Cutters and Importers.
Diamond Specialty Co., 14 Maiden Lane.
EMBROIDERIES.
Leumann, Boesch & Weingart, 593 B'way.
ENVELOPES (Sample & Catalogue.)
The Clasp Envelope Co., 109 Leonard St.
FANCY GOODS.
Goldberg & Rosenbach, 640 B'way. Belts.
FOUNTAIN & STYLO PENS.
Diamond Point Pen Co. Also Pearl, Gold, and Silver Writing Sets. 86-88 Fulton St.
HAIR ORNAMENTS.
Pacific Novelty Co., 687 Broadway.
HOSIERY.
Boley, M., 506 B'way. Men's Hosiery Exclus'ly
Haydock, J., 332 B'way. Hosiery, Underw'r.
Rubens & Meyer, 22-26 East 14th St.
Schiff, Henry, & Co., 890-92 B'way, cor. 19th
GLOVES—Kid, Fabric, Silk.
Ferdinand Ehrlich & Sons, 518 Broadway.
Weinstein, Max, Co., 157 Spring, Mfrs. Kid&Silk
HOUSEFURNISHING & Dept. Stores.
See the One-Minute Household Churn and Kitchen Help. Standard Mfg. Co., 127 F'klin
HUMAN HAIR GOODS.
N. Lederer, 7 W. 22. Rolls, Pomps, Puffs, &c.
KIMONOS, DRESSING SACQUES.
Nasrallah, S., 85 Washington St.
Platt, W., 136 Prince St. Negligees.
KNIT GOODS—COATS AND BL'SES.
Myres, Max M., 486 Broadway. Also Shawls.
KNIT GOODS—Knit Underwear.
American Hosiery Co., 108-110 Franklin St.
Samuels, I. A., & Co., 486 B'way. Mill Agts.
LADIES' COATS.
J. Mitteldorf, 36 E. 20. Silk & Pongee Nvlts.
LADIES' DR'SES & SH'RTW'ST S'TS.
J. Glockner, 34-36 West Houston St.
Spitzer & Harris, 132 West 17th St.
MILLINERY, (WHOLESALE.)
Aitken, Son & Co., Broadway and 18th St.
J. Scheuer & Co., 625 B'way, ostrich feathers
MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S CLOAKS AND DRESSES.
Getsky & Co., 110-112 Fifth Av.
NECKWEAR—Men's.
Berliner, Strauss & Meyer, 733, 735, 737 B'way.
Newark, N. J.
Bahrs, J. H., & Bro., 313 Market St.
NETS, SILK AND WASH WAISTS.
"The Beauty." Juda Bros., 14-16 W. 17 St.
OIL PAINTINGS & FR'M'D PICTURES
Drescher & Cusson, 314-316 Broadway.
Gray & Co., 390 Pearl St. Gold Mirrors.
ORIENTAL RUGS.
Vantine, A. A., & Co., 877-879 Broadway.
OSTRICH FEATHERS.
Rosenshine Bros., Mfg., 57 & 59 East 11th St.
Taylor, M. J., & Co., Mfg., 37 East 18th St.
PETTICOATS—SILK.
Eagle Skirt Co., 584 B'way. Heatherbloom, &c.
PICTURE AND WINDOW GLASS.
Vanhorne, D. A., & Co., 467-469 Greenwich.
RIBBONS.
B. Rinaldo, 714 B'way, Malines, &c.
SILKS AND DRAPERY GOODS.
Vantine, A. A., & Co., 18-20-22 East 18th St.
SHIRT WAISTS & SUITS—LADIES'.
Atlantic Waist Co., 64-66 East 11th St.
SKIRTS—SEPARATE.
Casper & Beck, 32-34 West 20th St.
STATIONERY.
Fairman Co., Calendars, Tally's, 366 W. 15th.
SUITS, SKIRTS, & COVERT J'KETS.
Cohen&Pollack,25Wav'lyPl.Suits$6.50upto$15
SUSPENDERS AND MEN'S BELTS.
Yale Suspender Co., 452 Broadway.
SWEATER COATS & CARDIGAN JAC.
E. Klein & Co., 43 Leonard St.
TOYS AND NOVELTIES.
Selchow & Righter, 267 Canal St., nr. B'way.
WAISTS AND PRINCESS DRESSES.
Casper Davis & Son, 36 West 24th St.
(Lately Goldman&G.) Max Greenberg, 29 W. 17.
WALL PAPER & MOULDINGS.
Frantz Wall Paper Co., 6 West 15th St.
WASH COAT SUITS.
Gross Bros., 7 West 18th St. Skirts for Girls.
WATER-PROOF TARPAULINS.
John Sullivan, 356 Hudson St.

# COURT CALENDARS

## FEDERAL COURTS.

### Supreme Court of the United States.

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WASHINGTON, March 13.—The following were the proceedings in the United States Supreme Court to-day:

276—Anderson Gray, appellant, vs. the Equitable Mortgage Company of Kansas City, Mo., et al.—Dismissed, with costs.

176—The Bobbs-Merrill Company, appellant, vs. Isidor Straus et al., &c.—Argument continued for the appellees and concluded for the appellant. Leave granted appellees to file additional brief.

177—John M. Longyear, plaintiff in error, vs. William Toolan et al.—Argued.

178—Empire State Cattle Company et al., petitioners, vs. the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company, and 179—The Minnesota and Dakota Cattle Company, petitioner, vs. the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company.—Argument commenced.

Day call for Monday: 178, (and 179,) 180, 181, 184, 187, 188, 190, 193, (and 194 and 195,) 171, and 196.

## STATE COURTS.

### Court of Appeals Takes Recess.

ALBANY, March 13.—The Court of Appeals to-day took a recess until March 31.

### Appellate Division Calendar.

ALBANY, March 13.—The Appellate Division, Third Department, will convene at 2 P. M. next Monday. Following is the calendar: Nos. 38, 40, 42, 43, 51, 52, 53, 55.

### Decisions.

The Appellate Division, First Department, yesterday announced the following decisions:

Laurent J. Tonnele, appellant, vs. Francis S. Wetmore et al., respondents.—Judgment reversed, new trial ordered before another referee, costs to appellant to abide event. Opinions by Ingraham and Houghton, JJ. (Houghton and Laughlin, JJ., dissenting.) Settle order on notice.

Paul Gross, respondent, vs. Hugo Gorsch, appellant.—Judgment reversed, with costs, and demurrer overruled, with costs, with leave to plaintiff to withdraw demurrer on payment of costs. Opinions by Laughlin, Houghton, and Ingraham, JJ. Order filed.

Reine Conrad, appellant, vs. George J. Conrad, respondent.—Judgment affirmed, with costs, with leave to plaintiff to amend on payment of costs. Opinions by Clarke and Ingraham, JJ. (Ingraham, J., dissenting.) Order filed.

People ex rel. Mark Cross Company, relator, vs. John P. Ahearn, as President, &c., Warwick E. Montgomery et al., appellants.—Order modified as directed in opinion, and as modified affirmed, without costs. Opinions by Laughlin and Ingraham, JJ. Settle order on notice.

In the matter of Mary J. Martin, deceased.—Decree modified as directed in opinion, with costs to appellant, payable out of the estate. Opinion by Scott, J. Settle order on notice.

James Gribble, respondent, vs. Raymond Van Praag Supply Company, appellant.—Judgment reversed, new trial ordered before another referee, costs to appellant to abide event. Opinion by Laughlin, J. Settle order on notice.

Ada O. Van Heusen, respondent, vs. De Marcy Argenteau, appellant.—Judgment affirmed, with costs, with leave to defendant to withdraw demurrer and to answer on payment of costs. Opinions by McLaughlin and Houghton JJ. (Houghton, J., dissenting.) Order filed.

The People, &c., respondent, vs. Isaac Bloom, appellant.—Judgment affirmed. Opinions by Ingraham, Clarke, and Scott, JJ. (Scott and McLaughlin, JJ., dissenting.) Order filed.

William Schradin, as administrator, respondent, vs. New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company, appellant.—Judgment and order affirmed, with costs. Opinions by Ingraham and McLaughlin, JJ. (McLaughlin and Clarke, JJ., dissenting.) Order filed.

In the matter of Louise Ackermann and another.—Order reversed and motion denied, without costs. Opinion by Patterson, P.J. Order filed.

Margaret A. Claffey, as administratrix, respondent, vs. Madison Avenue Company, appellant.—Order affirmed, with leave to either party to renew as stated in opinion. Opinion by Ingraham, J. Settle order on notice.

Jesse L. Boskowitz, as administrator, appellant, vs. Joseph H. Sulzbacher, respondent.—Order modified as directed in opinion, and as modified affirmed, without costs. Opinion per curiam. Settle order on notice.

Jennie De G. Monahan vs. Louis De L. Ward.—Motion denied, without costs, with leave to renew on the decision of the motion at Special Term to open the default. Order filed.

Samuel R. Smith vs. Frank E. Anderson.—Motion denied on conditions stated in order. Order filed.

Beatrice Dreyfus vs. Emil Dreyfus.—Motion granted, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Joshua M. Cooper vs. Kings County Savings Institution.—Motion granted, with $10 costs. Order filed.

George Kelly vs. Max W. Mayer et al.—Motion granted, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Morris Reisler vs. John H. Springer.—Motion granted, with $10 costs. Order filed.

John W. Castle vs. Frederick C. Pearson.—Motion granted, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Joseph S. Atkins vs. Timothy E. Fitzpatrick.—Motion denied, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Harry S. Hooker vs. Mille Toch, impleaded.—Motion denied, with $10 costs. Order filed.

In re Attorney General vs. Consolidated Gas Company.—Motion denied, with $10 costs. Order filed.

Pabst Brewing Company vs. Rapid Safety Filter Company.—Application denied, with $10 costs. Order signed.

Richard S. Kelley vs. Herman Wronkow.—Motion granted. Settle order on notice.

Samuel R. Smith vs. Frank E. Anderson.—Motion to open default granted on payment of $10 costs. Settle order on notice.

In the matter of West Twentieth and Twenty-second Streets.—Motion granted. Order filed.

In the matter of Riverside Drive.—Motion granted. Order filed.

In the matter of West 162d Street.—Motion granted. Order filed.

### Calendars for Saturday, March 14.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part II.—Fitzgerald, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Ex parte business.

SURROGATES' COURT—Chambers—Thomas, S.—Wills for probate at 10:30 A. M. Mary A. Cassidy, Mary E. O'Brien, and Julia W. Lawrence.

CITY COURT—Chambers—Finelite, J.—Opens at 10 A. M. Ex parte business.

### Receivers Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Fitzgerald, J.—Meyer Jarmulowsky vs. Jennie Kind—Millard H. Ellison. Margaret T. Johnston vs. William Seidman—Joseph P. McDonough. Burnham C. Stickney vs. Concrete Plant Manufacturing Company—Cornelius J. Kiely. Adelaide E. Meredith vs. Thomas W. Meredith—James T. Brady. Associated Merchants of New York vs. Merralls Machinery Company—John J. Mackin.

CITY COURT—Finelite, J.—Charles A. Goldreyer vs. Abram Shatz et al.—Alexander Adlerman. Charles H. Meyer vs. John C. Schanz—Thomas G. Priolean.

### Referees Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Fitzgerald, J.—Equitable Life Assurance Society vs. Margoles—John E. Duffy. State Bank vs. Ronginsky—Edward B. La Fetra. Laumeister vs. Haber—Eugene N. Robinson. Guzy vs. Rumore—Paul L. Kiernan.

SUPREME COURT—O'Gorman, J.—Lendner vs. Perlman—Forbes J. Hennessy. Billings vs. Rhoades—Joseph Fettretch. In re Clio Waist Company—Alfred Steckler. In re Dutches—William B. Ellison. Metropolitan Improvement Company vs. Rutland Realty Company—Commonwealth Manufacturing Company vs. Same—Walter B. Coughlan.

# BUSINESS TROUBLES

ADOLPH KOBLENZER.—Schedules in bankruptcy of Adolph Koblenzer, liquor dealer, 230 Third Avenue, show liabilities of $5,044 and no assets.

SIGMUND WILTSCHEK. — Sigmund Wiltschek, salesman, 2,228 Seventh Avenue, formerly a liquor dealer, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $3,601 and no assets.

JOSEPH J. DOWNEY.—Joseph J. Downey, 100 West Eighty-eighth Street, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $9,380 and nominal assets of $443 in commissions earned and to be earned from the Columbia Investment and Real Estate Company. The largest creditor is Patrick Carter, $6,954.

POTTERS' PUBLISHING COMPANY.—Judge Holt has appointed Chester T. Neal receiver in bankruptcy for the Potters' Publishing Company, publisher of The American Pottery Gazette, 1 Madison Avenue, with a bond of $500, and authorized him to continue the business for twenty days. The assets are estimated at $3,696.

WILLIAM ROTHSTEIN.—A meeting of creditors of William Rothstein, manufacturer of shirtwaists, 70 West Houston Street, was held yesterday at the office of H. & J. J. Lesser, 320 Broadway, and most of the creditors agreed to accept 25 cents on the dollar subject to the report of a committee of creditors. The liabilities are $17,000 and the assets $8,000.

ROBINSON & ROSE.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Samuel Robinson and Samuel Rose, who compose the firm of Robinson & Rose, clothing manufacturers, 710 Broadway, by H. & J. J. Lesser for these creditors: Philip Reinherz, $216; M. Steinthal & Co., $817, and Joseph Feinberg, $112. It was alleged that they were insolvent, made preferential payments of $5,000, and transferred merchandise and accounts worth $3,000. Judge Holt appointed James G. Graham receiver, with a bond of $7,500. The business was started six years ago, and it is said that Mr. Rose went through bankruptcy in November, 1902. Henry Lesser said that the liabilities were $40,000 and nominal assets $20,000, and he expects a settlement at 50 cents on the dollar.

### Out of Town.

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BOSTON, March 13.—Dudley S. McDonald, a lunchroom keeper of this city, against whom a petition in involuntary bankruptcy was recently filed, to-day filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court. The schedules disclose liabilities of $59,473, with uncertain assets. Of these liabilities $23,000 is secured.

TROY, N. Y., March 31.—Howard E. Harper, a printer, to-day filed a petition in bankruptcy. His liabilities are said to be $5,994.89 and his assets $10,003.59, of which $500 is in unliquidated claims.

### Judgments.

The following judgments were filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

Abramson, L.—S. Boulgach, $248.
Asch, P., (not summoned)—S. Solomon, $93.
Allinger, H.—C. F. Leining, $35.
Allinger, F. E. and Rose A.—G. R. Sutherland, $794.
Agne, H. D.—E. H. Kohnstamm, $98.
Arrigoni, A.—W. H. Picken, $163.
Borrell, J.—M. E. Jaffe et al., $59.
Budd, W. and Wilhelmina—H. Karp et al., $1,252.
Bellford, D.—A. Kupfer, costs, $68.
Berliner, G. (not summoned) and S.—Eppinger & Russell Co., $4,100.
Brown, C. A.—Maryland Casualty Co., $1,971.
Berliner, J.—C. Toscani et al., $334.
Bernstein, M.—H. J. Rubenstein, $170.
Bush, P. R.—C. G. Cornell et al., $224.
Budetta, C., (not summoned)—N. Y. Tel. Co., $59.
Bacot, Cecile E.—City of N. Y., $753.
Baker, J. H., Jr.—Same, $213.
Berry, T. W.—Margaret Berry, costs, $108.
Blair, W. and D. H.—W. S. Blair, $3,146.
Cullen, B.—Bryant Motor Co., $88.
Carman, C. M.—W. F. Duckworth, $125.
Cavaluzzo, I.—W. H. Picken, $163.
Collins, C. W.—J. Lever, $1,236.
Coleman, C.—City of N. Y., $573.
Cohn, M.—Same, $388.
Chanin, S.—Same, $203.
Cohen, J.—Same, $388.
Cohen, M.—Same, $573.
Costilo, J., adm.—Prentiss Tool & Supply Co., $2,342.
Cossilio, R.—People, &c., $1,000.
Costikyan, S.—S. Telfeyan et al., $1,429.
Same—Same, $1,839.
D'Arpa, O.—M. A. Granieri, $45.
Doe, J., (not summoned)—Same, $45.
Degnan, R. E.—N. Y. Tel. Co., $47.
De Hautunies, Marie—O. N. Eaton et al., $266.
Dorr, G.—S. W. Collins et al., costs, $121.
Doyle, J.—City of N. Y., $213.
Dowson, H. S.—Same, $213.
De Voy, P.—Same, $57.
De Soto, J. B.—Same, $213.
De Soto, T.—Same, $213.
Dorsey, R. M.—Same, $57.
Costikyan, S.—S. Telfeyan et al., $21,510.
Crell, T. A.—I. Rosenthal, $51.
Cebure, J.—D. Nathanson, $93.
Carpenter, G. H.—Mary E. Taylor, $1,232.
Carrere, L. S.—Brooklyn Club, $70.
Ehrlich, S.—S. Schanzer, $620.
Ehrlich, M. F.—R. M. Colgate, costs, $110.
Dowd, M.—J. Rothel, $89.
David, Wm. F.—F. E. Rosebrock & Co., $124.
Flaherty, R.—A. C. Hottenroth, $462.
Froglich J.—City of N. Y., costs, $106.
Same—Wm. Bradley, $109.
Frankel, M.—O. J. Stephens, Inc., $141.
Fleming, J.—Maryland Casualty Co., $1,971.
Ferrar, C.—N. Picket et al., $59.
Fick, P.—H. L. Maxson et al., $19.
Gambacorta, T.—N. Y. Telephone Co., $59.
Gottlieb, E.—H. W. Bell, $81.
Greenberg, M.—C. Tascani et al., $334.
Giatras, P. J.—Strauss & Co., Inc., $84.
Garcia, J.—Johnston Heating Co., $353.
Same—F. M. Barnet, $94.
Grossman, S., (not summoned)—Wilson & Towne Paper Co., $62.
Griffith, E. B.—Kuhne-Libby Co., $413.
Garfinkle, C.—Wm. Gershel, $86.
Halberstadt, A. G.—A. Nathan, $40.
Howison, R.—C. Weisbecker, $316.
Hurwitz, A.—Wilson & Towne Paper Co., $62.
Hartjens, H.—Wm. Gershel, $64.
Hansen, J. P.—Wm. S. Blair, $3,146.
Ingels, L.—N. Y. Telephone Co., $33.
Jayne, B. G.—Battery Place Realty Co., $373.
Jochomowitz, P.—N. Y. Telephone Co., $53.
Jacobs, M.—M. N. Clement, $1,821.
Johnson, Fannie N.—Marie H. Alperin, $230.
Kandra, S.—J. J. Ziegler, $423.
Kaplan, L., (not summoned)—Same, $423.
King, S. J.—J. D. Baumann, 338.
Knauerhase, Otto H.—A. L. Manley, $70.
Kaminsky, J.—A. Seligman et al., $512.
Kasner, M.—M. Flocks, $27.
Keeshan, Irene M.—P. Apeirn, $136.
Krakowitz, A. and J.—L. Richter et al., $590.
Levy, M.—M. Dorim, $2,129.
Levy, C., (not summoned)—L. E. Bathrick, $24.
Libbey, H. N.—E. Thalmann et al, $1,668.
Linder, W.—W. Gershel, $64.
Lipshitz, W.—S. Desowitz, costs, $115.
Monahan, P.—Van Nest Wood Working Co., $197.
Miller, J.—L. W. Wellington, $142.
Miller, H.—S. Solomon, $93.
Mulvaney, Mary C.—A. Rosenthal, $102.
Munzer, H.—H. Kirshman et al., $43.
Mercer, M.—New Amsterdam Gas Co., $133.
Meyer, E.—Same, $98.
Miller, E., Jr.—J. D. Kauman, $338.
Mayer, M. J.—Oppenheimer, Collins & Co., $46.
Matzeno, J. R.—Styles & Cash, $53.
Metz, B.—L. Rand, $44.
Mason, Dorothy—N. Y. Telephone Co., $36.
Modersohn, E. R.—R. Oelsner, $352.
McKenna, J. B.—J. Hoffman Brewing Co., $270.
Marmorstein, I.—M. Croner, $254.
Mehlman, C.—N. Picket et al., $59.
Muttart, A. C.—Sarah C. Clifford, $120.
Mayer, R.—H. F. Huber & Co., costs, $114.
Niendorff, O.—J. Doelger et al., $1,340.
Nehring, N.—Field & Stream Pub. Co., $73.
Nichols, A. B.—J. A. Osborne, $732.
Neglia, G and G.—People, &c., $1,000.
Parker, A. McC.—M. L. Cupples, costs, $116.
Paulding, P.—Mutual Bank, $513.
Poole, Elizabeth—N. Y. Tel. Co., $88.
Poliakoff, S.—H. Siegel, $44.
Putnam, F. and Lucy—Sophie Frankenberg, $61.
Polansky, M. L.—P. Kramer, $51.
Pogotta, L.—M. Ashkinas, $253.
Ruggino, S.—J. M. Tully, $1,135.
Romano, J.—H. W. Boettger, costs, $108.
Rose, F.—H. W. Dazian, $15.
Rosenberg, J. H.—L. E. Bathrick, $24.
Rutz, P. J. and Mary—Lillian V. Rourke, $140.
Rosenthal, B.—A. Berliner et al., $157.
Reisten, A. C.—Bryant Motor Co., $97.
Riseling, W.—N. Y. Tel. Co., $28.
Reiss, I.—Same, $53.
Romer, M.—Standard Plunger-Elevator Co., costs, $89.
Ryan, P.—M. L. Cupples, costs, $116.
Rosshandler, Bertha—Anna Halperin, $16.
Schwartz, B.—W. Ginandes, $22.
Selikowitz, S. D.—J. J. Ziegler, $423.
Schaeffel, B. A.—G. Steinert, Jr., $158.
Surridge, J. H.—N. Y. Tel. Co., $37.
Smith, J. P.—N. Y. Tel. Co., $127.
Sanford, R.—Elizabeth Euell, $157.
Sievers, H. F.—W. Menzel, $60.
Schwartzreich, L.—B. Epstein et al., $147.
Stokes, W. E. D.—G. H. Neidlinger, $180.
Stokes, W. E. D.—Same, $62.
Same—Same, $106.
Same—Same, $60.
Serritella, V.—A. Lockwood, $227.
Schlang, A.—M. Flocks, $27.
Shaw, C.—City of N. Y., $76.
Stunsky, M. J.—Same, $213.
Schrader, W.—Same, $57.
Stein, M.—Same, $203.
Salomon, Anna M.—Same, $115.
Scott, J.—Same, $388.
Sing, L.—D. Foon, $3,070.
Siglar, H. B.—A. P. McGowan, $300.
Turk, W. B.—City of N. Y., $74.
Taylor, G.—Same, $213.
Twohig, M.—Same, $295.
Seibel, Anna—W. Heirdon, $892.
Strum, Lena—J. Rothel, $158.
Thompson, F. M.—W. B. Troy, $82.
Viviano, Antonio—People, &c., $1,000.
Wacker, Geo. G.—Oswald Pfeil, $152.
Weidenfeld, Edward—Max May, $91.
Wilbur, John A.—Jacob Sulzbach, $3,541.
Weidenfeld, C.—Gardiner Sav. Inst., $2,178.
Union Ry. Co. of N. Y. City—Nellie Wadsworth, $1,128.
Oswego Boiler and Engine Co.—Philip H. Patriarche et al., $331.
The City of N. Y.—Bridget Morgan, $750.
The Elektron Mfg. Co.—E. Lynch, costs, $130.
A. I. Kanes & Co., Inc.—Thos. Woodward & Son, $2,018.
N. Y. City Ry. Co.—Mary Archer, $391.
Same—Nicholas Archer, $291.
Harlem Steam Carpet Cleaning Co.—Rebecca Levy, $27.
N. Y. City Ry. Co.—Peter Kregler, $482.
Alaska Fur Co.—N. Y. Tel. Co., $49.
J. B. & J. M. Cornell Co.—Hendrik L. Petersen, $25,181.
Onward Const. Co.—G. H. Neidlinger, $135.
Same—Same, $180.
Same—Same, $86.
Same—Same, $60.
N. Y. City Ry. Co.—F. Schmitz, $130.
N. Y. Edison Co.—James Cooper, $5,643.
N. Y. City Ry. Co.—Frank Rogers, $100
Same—Kate O'Connor, $600.
Same—Annie Gilger, $100.
Wolerstein & Ulrich Co.—N. Erlanger, Blumgart & Co., $8,926.
Brooklyn Woven Wire Mattress Co.—Abraham E. Rosenzweig, $1,161.
N. Y. City Ry. Co.—Chas. Darnton, $350.

### Satisfied Judgments.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor, and the date that when judgment was filed.

Bruce, E. B.—H. M. Furlong, Feb. 25, 1908, $32.
Same—H. M. Furlong, Feb. 25, 1908, $37.
Bacher, R.—J. Leichter, Feb. 14, 1908, $32.
Bell, W. R.—M. Valentine, Oct. 4, 1899, (canceled,) $318.
Disch, G.—L. T. L. Obermeyer, Feb. 17, 1908, $147.
Luhrs, F. J. and J. F. Stube—F. H. Ehlen, June 16, 1904, $631.
Naughton, M., and P. Templeton—People, &c., Nov. 29, 1907, $1,000.
Schlang, A., and M. Kasner—M. Flocks, Dec. 13, 1907, $584.
Singer, J.—D. S. Wilson, Nov. 22, 1907, $147.
Wyckoff, S. S.—L. Hartshorn, April 16, 1906, $63.
Zimmermann, J. and H.—J. Levy, June 4, 1890, $221.
Ratner, L.—C. V. Gilner, March 11, 1906, (vacated,) $374.
Haeger Storage Warehouse Co.—C. Kramer, May 15, 1907, (reversed,) $3,643.
Acme Road Machinery Co.—Engineering News Pub. Co., Feb. 27, 1908, $77.
Ehrlich, S.—Siegfried Schanzer, March 13, 1908, (vacated,) $620.
Lynch, B.—J. B. Huff et al., April 10, 1907, $139.
McIntosh, B. W.—C. Phillips, April 20, 1906, (vacated,) $1,516.

## HARRIMAN CASE APPEAL.

### Supreme Court to Decide Whether He Must Tell About His Stocks.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The appeal of Edward H. Harriman and Otto H. Kahn of the firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co. of New York from the decision of the United States Circuit Court for the Southern District of New York, requiring them to answer certain questions regarding the ownership of stocks in the Chicago & Alton, Illinois Central, and other railroads acquired in whole or in part by the Union Pacific Railroad, was filed in the Supreme Court of the United States to-day.

That court will be asked to review the case on the theory that the Circuit Court ruling was erroneous.

### Southern Railway Directors Meet.

The Directors of the Southern Railway met yesterday, but transacted only routine business. The question of declaring a dividend did not come before the board.

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# FINANCIAL MARKETS

## Stocks Show Strength Again—Call Money Rates, 2@1¾ Per Cent.

## BANK CASH HOLDINGS DOWN

### Return of United States Deposits Offsets Gain from Country—Controller's Returns.

While Wall Street has been disposed to pay little attention to unfavorable news from Washington, it is still responsive to announcements of a more pleasing kind, as was made clear yesterday by the rise in prices in the final hour of business on the Stock Exchange following the publication of Secretary Straus's statement that the much-discussed investigation of Stock Exchanges was really nothing more than a "study" of "bucket shop bills." During the first four hours of business the movement of prices was extremely irregular, and a number of the shares conspicuous in the trading for several days past were genuinely weak. Activity in low-priced stocks, coupled with large gains, served to preserve the appearance of a forward movement, however, and discouraged operators who had been making up their minds that the advance had about run its course. The copper shares were strong throughout. Buying followed another advance in the price of the metal and news from the mining districts of the reopening of additional mines. In the last hour the rise became general, high-priced shares and the specialties participating equally in it, and the market closed at practically the top prices of the day, with vigorous buying under way. The Washington announcement purporting to correct the earlier information that an investigation of the Stock Exchange was to be made was itself fairly indefinite, since an extraordinary amount of leeway appeared to be allowed to the head of the Bureau of Corporations for finding material for his report. A definite and official statement of the exact situation should be forthcoming. The practical passing of the Southern Railway preferred dividend was not unexpected, for the earnings of the road have been falling steadily, and its troubles in connection with Southern agitation against corporations have been matters of general knowledge.

On the currency movements of the week the banks have apparently lost some $2,000,000. From the interior they gained substantially, but the return of between $7,000,000 and $8,000,000 to the Government in the form of recalled United States deposits served to more than offset this. The loan account will, however, be the real feature of to-day's statement. Full reports from the country's National banks under the last Controller's call show that the work of strengthening the cash position has been going forward steadily. Loans and discounts were reduced $163,000,000, cash was increased by $127,600,000, while individual deposits fell away $71,000,000. The percentage of reserves to deposits is now higher than it has been at any time since the dull business period of the Summer of 1904.

## CALENDAR FOR TO-DAY.

BOOKS CLOSE.

American Chicle Co. common.
American Snuff Co. common and preferred.
American Surety Co.
American Tobacco Co. preferred.
Cambria Iron Co.
Cincinnati Gas and Electric Co.
Mackay Companies common and preferred.
Massachusetts Gas Cos. common.
Mergenthaler Linotype Co.
New York, Lackawanna & Western Railroad.
Pittsburg, Bessemer & Lake Erie Railroad common.
Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad.
Pittsburg, Youngstown & Ashtabula Railroad common and preferred.
Swift & Co.
United Shoe Machinery Co. common and preferred.
Wolverine Mining Co.

DIVIDENDS PAYABLE.

Borden's Condensed Milk Co. on preferred.
Eden Musée Americain Co.
J. G. Brill Co. on common.
Kentucky Natural Gas Co.
Standard Oil Co.

ANNUAL MEETINGS.

Cleveland and Buffalo Transportation Co.
Insurance Clerks' Mutual Benefit Association.

SPECIAL MEETINGS.

Alabama Consolidated Coal and Iron Co.
American Steel Foundries Co.

## MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Money on call on Stock Exchange collateral loaned at 1¾@2 per cent., with the last loan at 2 per cent. Most of the day's loans were made at 2 per cent.

Time money loaned at 3½ per cent. for sixty days; 4 per cent for ninety days, 4@4¼ per cent for four months and 4¼@4½ per cent. for five and six months.

Mercantile paper rates, 5½@6 per cent. for four to six months' indorsed bills receivable and choice single names.

Clearing House statement: Exchanges, $237,400,442; balances, $11,634,368; Sub-Treasury debit balance, $1,525,785.

Sterling exchange closed weak with demand quoted at $4.8585@4.8590, sixty days at $4.8310@4.8315, and Cables at $4.8610@$4.8615.

Continental bills were quoted as follows: Francs, 5.20 less 1-16 and 5.18⅛ plus 1-16, reichsmarks, 94 3-16 and 94 15-16 less 1-32; guilders, 40⅛ less 1-32.

Exchange on New York at Boston was quoted at 12½c discount; at Chicago at 30c premium; at St. Paul, 35c premium; at St. Louis, 70c premium; New Orleans, commercial, 50c discount; bank, 25c discount;; San Francisco, 25c premium.

## SILVER QUOTATIONS.

Bar silver was quoted in London at 25 11-16d per ounce and in New York at 55¾c per ounce. Mexican dollars were 47c.

## CHICAGO STOCK MARKET.

*Special to The New York Times.*

CHICAGO, March 13. — Chicago Telephone sold to 109¾ on the early trading on the local Exchange, but recovered to 110 before midday. Telephone subscription rights sold around yesterday's level of 1½. Swift shares sold ex dividend 1¾, at 96¾, but gained a quarter later, when they sold at 97. Telephone rights closed at 1⅜ after touching 1¼ early.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 45 | Am. Can pf | 48¾ | 48½ | 48¾ |
| 5 | Am. Shipbuilding | 46 | 46 | 46 |
| 40 | Chicago Pneu. Tool | 22 | 21 | 21 |
| 100 | Chicago Subway | 16½ | 16½ | 16½ |
| 154 | Chicago Telephone | 110¼ | 109¾ | 109¾ |
| 2,528 | Chicago Tel. rights | 1⅝ | 1½ | 1½ |
| 60 | Commonwealth-Edison | 90 | 89⅞ | 90 |
| 164 | Diamond Match | 125 | 125 | 125 |
| 25 | Illinois Brick | 31 | 31 | 31 |
| 15 | K. C. Ry. & Light | 40½ | 40½ | 40½ |
| 100 | Metropolitan Elev. pf | 50 | 49 | 50 |
| 5 | National Biscuit pf | 110⅛ | 110⅛ | 110⅛ |
| 2 | Quaker Oats | 130 | 130 | 130 |
| 190 | Street's Stable Car | 27⅝ | 27 | 27 |
| 237 | Swift & Co. ex div | 97⅝ | 96¾ | 97⅝ |
| 10 | United Box Board | 1⅝ | 1⅝ | 1⅝ |
| 150 | United Box Board pf | 10 | 10 | 10 |

## COLORADO MINING STOCKS.

*Special to The New York Times.*

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., March 13.—The following were the closing quotations on the local Exchange to-day:

| | Bid. | Asked. | | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Acacia | 6⅝ | 7 | Gold Dollar | 6⅜ | 7¼ |
| C., K. & N. | 5¾ | 6¼ | Isabella | 35⅝ | 35⅞ |
| Dante | 7¼ | 8 | McKinney | 30 | 38 |
| Dr. Jackpot | 6⅝ | 7 | Portland | 107 | 110 |
| Elkton | 50⅝ | 51½ | Vindicator | 80 | 90 |
| El Paso | 31⅝ | 33 | Work | 12¾ | 13¼ |
| [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | Findlay | 80 | 81½ |

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE—Friday, March 13, 1908.

Total sales March 13, 1908.......... 660,294
From Jan. 1, 1908.......... 32,013,926
Corresponding date last year.......... 58,273,071

| Closing Bid. | Closing Ask. | Sales. | | First. | High. | Low. | Last. | †Net Change. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 166 | 177 | 30 | Adams Express | 165 | 165 | 165 | 165 | ... |
| 6¼ | 6½ | 200 | Allis-Chalmers | 6⅜ | 6⅜ | 6⅜ | 6⅜ | + ⅛ |
| 16½ | 17¼ | 500 | Allis-Chalmers pf | 17¼ | 17⅝ | 17¼ | 17¼ | +1 |
| 56⅛ | 56¼ | 61,250 | *Amalgamated Cop. | 53⅞ | 56¼ | 53⅝ | 56¼ | +2 |
| 17½ | 17¾ | 450 | Amer. Agricul. Chem. | 17½ | 17¾ | 17½ | 17¾ | + ½ |
| 4¾ | 5¼ | 200 | American Can | 4⅞ | 5 | 4⅞ | 5 | ... |
| 48⅜ | 48½ | 575 | American Can pf | 48 | 48½ | 48 | 48½ | ... |
| 29¼ | 29¾ | 1,700 | Am. Car & Foundry | 29¼ | 29⅝ | 29¼ | 29½ | + ½ |
| 87½ | 88½ | 100 | Am. Car & Found. pf | 88½ | 88½ | 88½ | 88½ | − ⅝ |
| 27 | 27½ | 400 | American Cotton Oil | 26½ | 27¼ | 26½ | 27¼ | ... |
| 5⅜ | 5⅝ | 375 | *Amer. Grass Twine | 5¼ | 5⅝ | 5¼ | 5⅝ | + ⅜ |
| 16⅛ | 16⅝ | 820 | Amer. Ice Securities | 16¼ | 16½ | 16⅛ | 16½ | − ¼ |
| 87½ | 87¾ | 8,230 | *Amer. Locomotive | 86¼ | 87¾ | 86½ | 87¾ | +1¼ |
| 90½ | 91 | 1,200 | *Am. Locomotive pf | 90⅞ | 90⅞ | 90½ | 90½ | ... |
| 4 | 5 | 100 | American Malt | 4¾ | 4¾ | 4¾ | 4¾ | +1⅜ |
| 67¾ | 67⅞ | 45,700 | *Amer. Smelt. & Ref. | 65⅛ | 68 | 65⅛ | 67¾ | +1½ |
| 92½ | 93 | 300 | *Am. Smelt. & Ref. pf | 92 | 92½ | 92 | 92½ | + ⅝ |
| 5¼ | 6 | 200 | Am. Steel Foundries | 5½ | 5½ | 5½ | 5½ | − ½ |
| 5¼ | 6 | 100 | *Am. Steel Foun. t. r. | 5¼ | 5¼ | 5¼ | 5¼ | − ½ |
| 119 | 119⅝ | 1,600 | *Amer. Sugar Ref. | 118 | 119⅝ | 118 | 119¼ | +1¼ |
| 115 | 118 | 100 | *Am. Sugar Ref. pf | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | − ⅛ |
| 81½ | 82¾ | 100 | Am. Tobacco pf. ex d | 81 | 81 | 81 | 81 | + ½ |
| 80 | 82½ | 100 | *American Woolen pf | 80 | 80 | 80 | 80 | − ½ |
| 34⅞ | 35⅛ | 10,473 | *Anaconda Cop. Min. | 33⅞ | 35¼ | 33⅝ | 35¼ | +1½ |
| 72½ | 72¾ | 3,700 | Atch., Top. & S. F. | 71¾ | 72½ | 71¼ | 72½ | + ¾ |
| 85¼ | 85½ | 400 | Atch., Top. & S. F. pf | 85 | 85 | 85 | 85 | + ¼ |
| 65½ | 66½ | 600 | Atlantic Coast Line | 66½ | 66½ | 65 | 65 | ... |
| 81⅞ | 82 | 1,800 | Baltimore & Ohio | 81½ | 81⅞ | 80⅞ | 81⅞ | − ⅛ |
| 2¾ | 2⅞ | 500 | *Batopilas Mining | 2¾ | 2⅞ | 2¾ | 2⅞ | + ⅛ |
| 44 | 44⅛ | 15,250 | Brook. Rapid Transit | 43 | 44⅛ | 43 | 44⅛ | +1⅛ |
| 145¼ | 145½ | 8,900 | Canadian Pacific | 145 | 145⅝ | 143⅜ | 145¼ | − ½ |
| 17¾ | 18 | 100 | Central Leather Co. | 17½ | 17½ | 17½ | 17½ | − ¼ |
| 29¼ | 29⅜ | 700 | Chesapeake & Ohio | 29 | 29¼ | 28⅝ | 29¼ | + ¼ |
| 4¼ | 4⅝ | 800 | Chicago Gt. Western | 4½ | 4½ | 4½ | 4½ | + ¼ |
| 16 | 23 | 25 | Chi. Gt. West. pf., A | 20 | 20 | 20 | 20 | ... |
| 117⅞ | 118 | 13,500 | Chi., Mil. & St. Paul | 116⅝ | 118 | 116½ | 118 | +1⅛ |
| 107½ | 108 | 300 | *C., M. & St. P. crts, 45 per cent. paid | 108 | 108 | 108 | 108 | ... |
| 131½ | 133 | 100 | *C., M. & St.P.pf.crts, 45 per cent. paid | 132 | 132 | 132 | 132 | + ¾ |
| 146¼ | 146⅝ | 1,050 | Chicago & Northwest | 145⅝ | 146⅝ | 145 | 146½ | +1½ |
| 115 | 125 | 50 | Chi., St. P., M. & O. | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | ... |
| 9 | 20 | 100 | Chi. Ter. Transfer pf | 10¼ | 10¼ | 10¼ | 10¼ | −1⅞ |
| 48⅜ | 49⅜ | 100 | Clev., C. C. & St. L. | 48⅜ | 48⅜ | 48⅜ | 48⅜ | − ⅞ |
| 19¼ | 19⅜ | 8,400 | Colorado Fuel & Iron | 18¾ | 19⅜ | 18⅝ | 19⅜ | +1¼ |
| 23¾ | 24 | 600 | Colorado Southern | 23⅞ | 24 | 23¾ | 23¾ | − ⅝ |
| 53⅜ | 54 | 220 | Colorado South. 1st pf | 53⅞ | 53⅞ | 53⅞ | 53⅞ | − ⅞ |
| 43½ | 44 | 900 | Colorado South. 2d pf | 43½ | 43¾ | 43 | 43¾ | − ⅜ |
| 18⅝ | 18½ | 5,210 | Colum. & Hock.C. & I. | 17 | 19 | 17 | 18⅝ | +1⅝ |
| 100½ | 101½ | 800 | Consolidated Gas | 100 | 100½ | 100 | 100½ | + ½ |
| 11¾ | 12 | 800 | Corn Products Ref. | 11½ | 11⅞ | 11¼ | 11⅞ | + ¼ |
| 151 | 152½ | 1,200 | Delaware & Hudson | 152½ | 152½ | 151 | 152¼ | + ¼ |
| 47½ | 48¼ | 200 | Den. & Rio Grande pf | 48 | 48 | 48 | 48 | +1 |
| 30¼ | 30½ | 1,300 | *Distillers Securities | 30⅛ | 30¾ | 30 | 30 | − ⅛ |
| 14⅜ | 14½ | 2,700 | Erie | 14 | 14½ | 14 | 14½ | + ¼ |
| 28½ | 29¾ | 700 | Erie 1st pf | 28 | 29 | 28 | 29 | + ¾ |
| 66 | 69 | 100 | Fed. Min. & Smelt. pf | 66 | 66 | 66 | 66 | +8¾ |
| 120½ | 121 | 1,400 | General Electric | 119 | 120½ | 119 | 120½ | +1½ |
| 122⅞ | 123 | 9,400 | Great Northern pf | 122 | 123 | 121 | 122⅞ | + ¾ |
| 122 | 124 | 100 | *G. N. pf. rcts, 95% pd | 121½ | 121½ | 121½ | 121½ | − ¾ |
| 58 | 58½ | 6,350 | *G. N. certs. ore prop. | 58 | 58½ | 57½ | 58 | ... |
| 80 | 90 | 100 | Ingersoll-Rand pf | 84 | 84 | 84 | 84 | +4 |
| 7½ | 7¾ | 1,900 | Interborough-Met | 7¾ | 8 | 7½ | 7½ | ... |
| 19½ | 19¾ | 900 | Interborough-Met. pf | 19¾ | 20¼ | 19½ | 19¾ | ... |
| 18½ | 20 | 200 | Int. Merc. Marine pf | 19⅝ | 19⅝ | 19⅝ | 19⅝ | +1⅝ |
| 55 | 57 | 1,100 | Internat. Paper pf | 55⅛ | 55⅛ | 55 | 55 | ... |
| 24½ | 24¾ | 2,700 | Int. Steam Pump | 23½ | 24¾ | 23½ | 24⅝ | + ⅛ |
| 73½ | 74 | 1,260 | Int. Steam Pump pf | 73¼ | 74⅜ | 72½ | 73⅞ | + ⅞ |
| 11 | 12 | 200 | Iowa Central | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ | + ½ |
| 51⅜ | 51½ | 1,400 | Kan. City South. pf | 51 | 51⅜ | 50¾ | 51⅜ | − ⅛ |
| 96½ | 97 | 1,300 | Louisville & Nash | 95¾ | 96¾ | 95½ | 96¾ | + ¾ |
| 61½ | 62 | 100 | Mackay Cos. pf., ex d | 61½ | 61½ | 61½ | 61½ | − ⅞ |
| 18⅛ | 18¼ | 300 | Mexican Central | 18 | 18 | 18 | 18 | ... |
| 20½ | 24½ | 200 | Minn. & St. Louis | 21½ | 21½ | 21½ | 21½ | ... |
| 103½ | 104½ | 1,325 | M., St. P. & S. S. M. | 103¼ | 104½ | 103¼ | 104½ | +1½ |
| 22⅜ | 22½ | 2,625 | Mo., Kan. & Texas | 22¼ | 22⅜ | 21⅞ | 22⅜ | ... |
| 34¾ | 35 | 3,700 | Missouri Pacific | 34¾ | 35 | 33¾ | 35 | + ¼ |
| 102 | 106 | 20 | Nash., Chat. & St. L. | 102 | 102 | 102 | 102 | ... |
| 49¼ | 49⅜ | 5,110 | *Nat. Lead Co., ex d | 47⅝ | 49¼ | 47⅝ | 49¼ | +1⅝ |
| 8⅛ | 8¼ | 500 | *Newhouse M. & S. | 8 | 8⅛ | 7⅞ | 8⅛ | + ¼ |
| 62 | 64 | 800 | *N. Y. Air Brake | 64¼ | 64½ | 64¼ | 64½ | + ½ |
| 99⅞ | 100 | 5,800 | New York Central | 98½ | 100 | 98½ | 100 | +1¼ |
| 32½ | 33 | 400 | N. Y., Chi. & St. L. | 32 | 33 | 32 | 33 | +1 |
| 33 | 33½ | 700 | N. Y., Ont. & West | 32½ | 33¼ | 32¼ | 33¼ | +1⅛ |
| 63 | 64 | 800 | Norfolk & Western | 63¼ | 63¼ | 63 | 63¼ | ... |
| 50 | 52 | 995 | North American | 47⅜ | 50 | 47⅛ | 50 | +2½ |
| 127¾ | 127⅞ | 24,670 | Northern Pacific | 127 | 128 | 126⅝ | 127⅞ | + ½ |
| 109 | 110 | 1,420 | *N. P. rects., 50% pd | 108⅞ | 109 | 108⅛ | 109 | +1 |
| 26¾ | 27¼ | 400 | Pacific Mail | 26¾ | 26¾ | 26½ | 26¾ | −1 |
| 117¾ | 118 | 29,200 | Pennsylvania R. R. | 117¼ | 118 | 116½ | 117¾ | + ½ |
| 88⅛ | 88¼ | 200 | People's Gas, Chi | 88 | 88⅛ | 88 | 88⅛ | + ¼ |
| 21 | 21½ | 400 | Pressed Steel Car | 21⅜ | 21⅜ | 21⅜ | 21⅜ | − ⅛ |
| 77 | 80 | 110 | Pressed Steel Car pf | 79 | 79 | 79 | 79 | +1 |
| 150 | 152 | 100 | Pullman Company | 150½ | 150½ | 150½ | 150½ | + ⅝ |
| 31¾ | 32⅝ | 400 | *R'way Steel Spring | 33 | 33 | 31⅞ | 31⅞ | − ⅛ |
| 104½ | 104⅝ | 115,090 | Reading | 103⅝ | 104¾ | 102⅞ | 104½ | + ⅝ |
| 17½ | 17⅝ | 3,140 | *Rep. Iron & Steel | 17½ | 17¾ | 17½ | 17⅝ | − ⅛ |
| 69¾ | 69⅞ | 2,540 | *Rep. Iron & Steel pf | 69½ | 69¾ | 69 | 69¾ | + ⅝ |
| 14 | 14½ | 2,000 | Rock Island Co. | 13⅝ | 14⅛ | 13⅝ | 14 | + ½ |
| 25⅛ | 25¼ | 1,900 | Rock Island Co. pf | 24⅞ | 25 | 24¼ | 25 | + ½ |
| 24 | 25 | 800 | St. L. & S. F. 2d pf | 24½ | 25 | 24 | 25 | + ¾ |
| 12¼ | 13 | 200 | St. Louis Southwest'n | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | + ¼ |
| 30¼ | 31 | 300 | St. L. Southwest'n pf | 29½ | 30½ | 29½ | 30½ | +1⅞ |
| 48¼ | 48½ | 400 | Sloss-Shef. S. & Iron | 47 | 48½ | 47 | 48½ | +2¼ |
| 74 | 74½ | 11,600 | Southern Pacific | 73 | 74⅛ | 72¾ | 74 | + ½ |
| 11⅜ | 11½ | 1,200 | Southern R'way ext | 11⅜ | 11⅜ | 10⅝ | 11⅜ | |
| 28¾ | 30 | 800 | South. R'way pf., ext | 29 | 29 | 28½ | 28⅝ | − ⅞ |
| 29 | 30 | 300 | *Tennessee Copper | 29¼ | 30 | 29¼ | 30 | +1 |
| 16¼ | 18 | 300 | Texas & Pacific | 15⅞ | 16 | 15⅞ | 16 | + ¼ |
| 9½ | 10 | 100 | Tol. R'ways & Light | 9½ | 9½ | 9½ | 9½ | ... |
| 14¼ | 14¾ | 100 | Tol., St. L. & West | 14¼ | 14¼ | 14¼ | 14¼ | + ¼ |
| 35¾ | 36 | 1,500 | Tol., St. L. & W. pf | 35¾ | 36¾ | 35 | 36 | + ¾ |
| 83¼ | 85 | 150 | Twin City R. Transit | 83⅞ | 83⅞ | 83⅞ | 83⅞ | + ⅝ |
| 124¼ | 124⅜ | 115,460 | Union Pacific | 122½ | 124½ | 122 | 124⅜ | +1⅜ |
| 80 | 80¾ | 200 | Union Pacific pf | 80½ | 80½ | 80½ | 80½ | − ½ |
| 37 | 37½ | 100 | United Rys. Inv. pf | 37 | 37 | 37 | 37 | ... |
| 19¼ | 19⅞ | 140 | U. S. Cast Iron Pipe | 19⅞ | 19⅞ | 19⅞ | 19⅞ | + ⅛ |
| 20¾ | 21¼ | 300 | U. S. Rubber | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 | + ¾ |
| 81½ | 85 | 150 | U. S. Rubber 1st pf | 82¼ | 82¼ | 82¼ | 82¼ | +1¼ |
| 33⅝ | 33¾ | 80,700 | U. S. Steel | 32⅝ | 33¾ | 32⅝ | 33⅝ | + ¾ |
| 96⅝ | 96¾ | 5,250 | U. S. Steel pf | 95¾ | 96¾ | 95¾ | 96¾ | +1 |
| 29⅛ | 29¼ | 15,200 | *Utah Copper | 26½ | 29½ | 26½ | 29¼ | +2¾ |
| 91½ | 92½ | 300 | Va.-Caro. Chem. pf | 91½ | 92 | 91½ | 92 | +2 |
| 48¾ | 55 | 100 | Va. Iron, Coal & C. | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 | ... |
| 8⅝ | 9 | 500 | Wabash | 8½ | 8½ | 8½ | 8½ | + ¼ |
| 15½ | 16 | 200 | Wabash pf | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | ... |
| 5½ | 8 | 1,000 | Western Maryland | 5½ | 5½ | 5⅜ | 5⅜ | − ⅛ |
| 48 | 49 | 475 | Western Union Tel. | 48 | 48 | 48 | 48 | − ½ |
| 39½ | 40 | 200 | Westinghouse E. & M. | 38¾ | 40¾ | 38¾ | 40¾ | +1½ |
| 40 | 60 | 106 | Westinghouse 1st pf | 59½ | 59½ | 59½ | 59½ | − ½ |

*Unlisted. †From last previous sale, based on 100-share lots.

## PRODUCE EXCHANGE STOCKS.

The principal transactions reported yesterday in the stock department of the Produce Exchange, with opening, high, low, and last prices, were as follows:

| Sales. | | Open. | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1,000 | Cobalt Central | .25 | .25 | .25 | .25 |
| 100 | San Toy | .33 | .33 | .33 | .33 |
| 200 | Comb. Frac. | .77½ | .77½ | .77½ | .77½ |
| 200 | Goldf. Daisy | $1.25 | $1.26 | $1.25 | $1.26 |
| 1,000 | Greater Nev. | .05½ | .05½ | .05½ | .05½ |
| 6,500 | Branch Mint | .08 | .08 | .07 | .07¾ |

The bid and asked prices in the principal issues at the close of business yesterday were as follows:

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

| | Closing Bid. | Closing Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Beaver Superior Mining Ltd | .65 | .75 |
| TEMPORARY TRADING LIST. | | |
| Alaska Treadwell | 24.75 | 25.25 |
| Helvetia | 3.50 | 3.75 |
| Troy Manhattan | .50 | .75 |
| Furnace Creek | .22 | .24 |
| Oroville Dredging | 2.87½ | 3.25 |
| British Columbia | 4.25 | 4.50 |
| Dominion Copper Ltd. | 2.12½ | 2.25 |
| Cobalt Central | .24½ | .25½ |
| Green-Meehan | .10 | .12½ |
| McKinley-Darragh | .68 | .73 |
| Nipissing | 6.87½ | 7.12½ |
| Silver Queen Ltd. | 1.00 | 1.25 |
| Camp Bird | 3.25 | 3.75 |
| El Paso | .30 | .34 |
| Old Hundred | .62½ | .87½ |
| Portland Gold | 1.07 | 1.10 |
| Tomboy Gold | 7.00 | 7.50 |
| Montezuma | .25 | .62½ |
| Snowstorm | 1.00 | 2.25 |
| Stewart Mining | .62½ | .75 |
| Dolores | 5.75 | 6.25 |
| El Oro | 5.50 | 6.00 |
| Esperanza Ltd. | 5.25 | 5.75 |
| Greene Gold-Silver Con. | .50 | .56¼ |
| Greene Gold-Silver pf. | 1.75 | 2.00 |
| Mines Co. of America | 1.25 | 1.50 |
| San Toy | .33 | .35 |
| Butte Coalition | 20.12½ | 20.37½ |
| Davis-Daly Estate | 4.00 | 4.25 |
| United Copper | 4.75 | 5.87½ |
| Nevada Hills | 2.87½ | 3.12½ |
| Nevada-Utah | 4.18¾ | 4.50 |
| Pittsburg Silver Peak | 1.20 | 1.30 |
| Gibraltar Mines | .11 | .13 |
| Gold Bar | .29 | .32 |
| Montgomery-Shoshone | 1.75 | 2.50 |
| National Bank | .11 | .13 |
| Tramps Con. | .20 | .22 |
| Cumberland-Ely Copper | 8.12½ | 8.37½ |
| Giroux Con. | 3.25 | 3.62½ |
| Nevada Con. | 11.00 | 11.37½ |
| Combination Fraction | .78 | .80 |
| Diamond Black Butte | .17 | .19 |
| Goldfield Con. | 5.12½ | 5.25 |
| Goldfield Daisy | 1.31 | 1.35 |
| Goldfield Florence | 4.12½ | 4.25 |
| Great Bend | .40 | .42 |
| Jumbo Extension | .42 | .44 |
| Kendall | .16 | .18 |
| Lone Star | .09 | .10 |
| St. Ives | .34 | .38 |
| Belmont | 1.25 | 1.50 |
| Midway | .63 | .67 |
| Montana Tonopah | 1.55 | 1.65 |
| North Star | .16 | .18 |
| Tonopah Extension | .87½ | .93¾ |
| Tonopah Mining | 5.50 | 5.62½ |
| West End | .25 | .26 |
| Majestic | 1.87½ | 1.75 |
| Utah Apex | 3.37½ | 4.00 |
| Tri-Bullion | 1.93¾ | 2.06¼ |
| Franklin Mills pf. | 98 | 100 |
| Exploration Co. of N. Y. | 105 | 110 |
| Pillsbury-Washburn Flour pf. | 69 | .. |
| Quaker Oats pf. | 92 | 98 |

Total sales, 9,000.

## THE TREASURY BALANCES.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—National banknotes received to-day for redemption, $1,606,897; Government receipts from internal revenue, $634,526; customs, $710,056; miscellaneous, $87,544; expenditures, $2,060,000.

The condition of the Treasury at the beginning of business to-day was as follows:

RESERVE FUND.

Gold coin and bullion.......... $150,000,000

TRUST FUNDS TO REDEEM OUTSTANDING CERTIFICATES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Gold coin | 833,272,869 |
| Silver dollars | 455,282,000 |
| Silver dollars of 1890 | 5,294,000 |
| Total | $1,293,848,869 |
| General fund | 169,678,964 |
| Deposits in National banks | 217,333,556 |
| In Philippine Treasury | 4,343,360 |
| Awaiting reimbursement | 38,088 |
| Current liabilities | 127,428,147 |

## BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

*Special to The New York Times.*

BOSTON, March 13.—The activity and continued advance in Amalgamated in the local market had a very favorable influence on local sentiment, and trading in the local copper shares made for higher prices all around. North Butte advanced to above 54, with the same buying which has been so noticeable of late still in evidence. Copper Range advanced 2 points, to 64, Calumet and Arizona sold up to 104½, Nevada was in demand at above 11, and Calumet and Hecla gained higher all around as a result of the day's trading. The market closed strong and with little stock offering.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | BONDS. | | | |
| $4,000 | Am. Tel. & Tel. 4s | 79½ | 79¼ | 79½ |
| 2,000 | C., B. & Q. joint 4s | 93½ | 93½ | 93½ |
| 7,000 | Illinois Steel 5s, 1913 | 95 | 95 | 95 |
| | RAILROADS. | | | |
| 5 | Atchison | 71⅝ | 71⅝ | 71⅝ |
| 110 | Boston Elevated | 129 | 129 | 129 |
| 1 | Boston & Lowell | 208 | 208 | 208 |
| 4 | *Boston & Maine | 133 | 132 | 132 |
| 5 | Boston & Worcester | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| 61 | *Fitchburg pf | 122 | 122 | 122 |
| 20 | Mass. Electric | 10¼ | 10¼ | 10¼ |
| 50 | Mass. Electric pf | 46 | 46 | 46 |
| 15 | N. Y., N. H. & H. | 134½ | 134 | 134½ |
| 776 | *Union Pacific | 124½ | 122 | 124¼ |
| 25 | *Union Pacific pf | 81 | 81 | 81 |
| 60 | West End | 84⅝ | 84½ | 84⅝ |
| 8 | West End pf | 100 | 99 | 100 |
| | TELEPHONES. | | | |
| 205 | American | 109 | 108⅝ | 109 |
| 1 | New England | 110 | 110 | 110 |
| 863 | New England rights | 70c | 67c | 70c |
| 100 | Western | 7½ | 7½ | 7½ |
| 125 | Western pf | 63½ | 63½ | 63½ |
| | MISCELLANEOUS. | | | |
| 550 | Am. Ag. Chem. | 18 | 17¼ | 18 |
| 178 | Am. Ag. Chem. pf | 82 | 81 | 82 |
| 240 | Am. Pneu. Service | 4⅜ | 4¼ | 4⅜ |
| 298 | *Am. Sugar Ref. | 119 | 118 | 119 |
| 100 | *Am. Sugar Ref. pf | 115¼ | 115¼ | 115¼ |
| 7 | Am. Woolen | 16⅝ | 16⅝ | 16⅝ |
| 36 | Am. Woolen pf | 82 | 81 | 81 |
| 8 | East Boston Land | 4¼ | 4¼ | 4¼ |
| 100 | Edison | 203 | 203 | 203 |
| 120 | *General Electric | 120 | 119½ | 120 |
| 6 | Ga. Ry. & Elec. | 75 | 75 | 75 |
| 710 | Mass. Gas | 52 | 51 | 51¼ |
| 200 | Mass. Gas pf | 83½ | 83 | 83½ |
| 6 | Mergenthaler | 194 | 194 | 194 |
| 32 | Pullman | 151 | 150¼ | 151 |
| 5 | Seattle Elec. pf | 91½ | 91½ | 91½ |
| 40 | *Swift & Co. | 97 | 97 | 97 |
| 40 | Torrington, Class A | 21 | 21 | 21 |
| 40 | Torrington pf | 24 | 24 | 24 |
| 181 | United Fruit | 118 | 117¼ | 117½ |
| 200 | *United Shoe Mach. | 43½ | 43¼ | 43½ |
| 2 | United S. Mach. pf | 27⅝ | 27⅝ | 27⅝ |
| 1,430 | *U. S. Steel | 33 | 32½ | 33 |
| 380 | U. S. Steel pf | 96½ | 95⅝ | 96½ |
| | MINING. | | | |
| 12,962 | Amalgamated | 56¼ | 53¾ | 56 |
| 235 | Allouez | 28 | 27 | 28 |
| 50 | Am. Zinc | 25 | 24¾ | 25 |
| 25 | Anaconda | 35½ | 34 | 35½ |
| 100 | Arcadian | 4 | 3¾ | 4 |
| 5,760 | Arizona Commercial | 20¼ | 19 | 20¼ |
| 520 | Arnold | 45c | 45c | 45c |
| 50 | Atlantic | 10½ | 10½ | 10½ |
| 85 | Bingham | 75c | 72½c | 75c |
| 845 | Boston Con | 15⅝ | 15⅛ | 15¼ |
| 2,885 | Butte Coalition | 20½ | 20 | 20¼ |
| 324 | Calumet & Arizona | 104½ | 102 | 104½ |
| 49 | *Calumet & Hecla | 650 | 607 | 650 |
| 300 | Centennial | 25 | 23⅝ | 25 |
| 1,871 | *Copper Range | 64 | 62 | 63⅜ |
| 10 | Daly-West | 8¼ | 8¼ | 8¼ |
| 100 | Elm River | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 10 | Franklin | 8¼ | 8¼ | 8¼ |
| 1,065 | Greene-Cananea | 8½ | 8¼ | 8⅜ |
| 1,635 | Isle Royale | 21⅝ | 21 | 21⅝ |
| 821 | Lasalle | 15¼ | 14⅝ | 15¼ |
| 125 | Mass | 2⅞ | 2½ | 2⅞ |
| 665 | Mexico | 6⅝ | 6⅛ | 6⅝ |
| 70 | Michigan | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| 290 | Mohawk | 51 | 48½ | 51 |
| 1,210 | Nevada | 11½ | 10⅞ | 11¼ |
| 6,830 | North Butte | 54¼ | 52½ | 54¼ |
| 1,851 | Old Dominion | 39 | 37 | 38⅝ |
| 40 | Osceola | 84 | 84 | 84 |
| 480 | Parrot | 17½ | 17½ | 17¾ |
| 10 | Phoenix | 50c | 50c | 50c |
| 55 | *Quincy | 84½ | 83 | 84½ |
| 10 | Santa Fe | 1¾ | 1¾ | 1¾ |
| 1,030 | Shannon | 11½ | 11 | 11½ |
| 100 | Superior Copper | 17 | 17 | 17 |
| 29 | Tamarack | 66 | 64 | 64 |
| 308 | Trinity | 14½ | 14 | 14½ |
| 42 | U. S. Oil | 10⅝ | 10 | 10⅝ |
| 460 | U. S. Smelting | 31 | 30¾ | 30⅞ |
| 244 | U. S. Smelting pf | 39¼ | 39 | 39¼ |
| 50 | United Copper | 5 | 4⅝ | 4⅝ |
| 2,450 | Utah Con | 40⅝ | 39 | 40⅝ |
| 100 | Victoria | 3½ | 3½ | 3½ |
| 355 | †Winona | 5½ | 5 | 5½ |

*Ex dividend. †Assessment paid.

# OUTSIDE SECURITIES

## Prices Improve for Many Stocks with Fairly Active Trading in Mining Group.

## GUGGENHEIM ISSUES UP

### Industrials Very Quiet—Little Trading in Bonds—Nevada Consolidated Stock and Bonds Advance.

Some improvement was noted in several issues which were active in the outside market yesterday. Apart from the mining shares practically the only trading was in Bay State Gas, the sales of Standard Oil, and American Tobacco, being limited to a few fractional lots, while Chicago Subway and Manhattan Transit were dull. Cumberland-Ely and Nevada Consolidated were both fairly active, the former advancing from 8¼ to 8⅝, and Nevada Consolidated from 10⅞ to 11⅛.

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The principal transactions reported yesterday in the outside market, with opening, high, low, and last prices, were as follows:

| Sales. | | Open. | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | INDUSTRIALS. | | | | |
| 5 | Am. Tobacco | 260 | 260 | 260 | 260 |
| 15,000 | Bay State G. | 1 1-16 | 1 3-16 | 1 1-16 | 1 3-16 |
| 10 | Consol. St'ship | ¼ | ¼ | ¼ | ¼ |
| 100 | Gen. El. Disp. | 10⅝ | 10⅝ | 10⅝ | 10⅝ |
| 515 | Man. Transit | 3½ | 3½ | 3 | 3½ |
| 6 | Standard Oil | 509½ | 509½ | 509½ | 509½ |
| | RAILROADS. | | | | |
| 100 | Chi. Subway | 16¾ | 16¾ | 16¾ | 16¾ |
| | MINING STOCKS. | | | | |
| 1,000 | Alaska M. S. | ¼ | ⅜ | ¼ | ⅜ |
| 450 | Boston Copper | 15¼ | 15½ | 15¼ | 15½ |
| 25 | Boston Corbin | 12½ | 12½ | 12½ | 12½ |
| 600 | Brit. Col. Cop. | 4⅜ | 4⅝ | 4⅜ | 4⅝ |
| 8,600 | Butte Coalition | 20¼ | *20½ | 20 | 20¼ |
| 100 | Butte & N. Y. | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ |
| 6,000 | Con. Ariz. Sm. | ⅜ | 7-16 | ⅜ | 7-16 |
| 16,000 | Cumb.-E. Min. | 8¼ | 8⅝ | 8⅛ | 8⅝ |
| 100 | Davis-D. Est. | 4¼ | 4¼ | 4¼ | 4¼ |
| 800 | Dom. Copper | 2⅛ | 2¼ | 2⅛ | 2 3-16 |
| 615 | Douglas Cop. | 6⅜ | 6⅜ | 6⅜ | 6⅜ |
| 1,700 | Ely Central | ⅞ | ⅞ | ⅞ | ⅞ |
| 800 | Florence | 4¼ | 4¼ | 4¼ | 4¼ |
| 2,500 | Fur. Cr. Cop. | 23 | 23 | 22½ | 23 |
| 100 | General Mines | 2⅛ | 2⅛ | 2⅛ | 2⅛ |
| 100 | Giroux Mining | 3⅜ | 3⅜ | 3⅜ | 3⅜ |
| 800 | Gold Hill | 11-16 | 11-16 | 11-16 | 11-16 |
| 2,750 | Goldf'd Con. | 5¼ | 5¼ | 5⅛ | 5¼ |
| 28,100 | Goldf'd Daisy | 1.22 | 1.35 | 1.22 | 1.35 |
| 3,200 | Greene-Cananea | 8¼ | 8⅜ | 8¼ | 8¼ |
| 800 | Greene G.-S. | ½ | 9-16 | ½ | 9-16 |
| 800 | Greene Gold | ⅜ | ⅜ | ⅜ | ⅜ |
| 10 | Gug. Explora. | 158 | 158 | 158 | 158 |
| 300 | King Edward | ¾ | ¾ | 11-16 | 11-16 |
| 8,310 | Micmac Mines | 4¼ | *4½ | 4¼ | 4½ |
| 100 | M. Co. of Am. | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ |
| 300 | McKin.-Dar. | 71 | 75 | 71 | 71 |
| 12,100 | Nev. Con. Cop. | 10⅞ | 11⅛ | 10⅞ | 11⅛ |
| 800 | Nev. Smelting | 1⅛ | 1⅛ | 1⅛ | 1⅛ |
| 4,700 | Nev.-U. M. & S. | 4 1-16 | 4⅜ | 4 | 4⅛ |
| 800 | Nip. Gold Est. | 18½ | 20 | 18½ | 20 |
| 500 | Nip. Mines Co. | 7 | 7⅛ | 7 | 7 |
| 10 | N. Butte Cop. | 53 | 53 | 53 | 53 |
| 25 | N. Butte Ext. | 1⅜ | 1⅜ | 1⅜ | 1⅜ |
| 165 | Old Hun. Min. | ⅞ | ⅞ | ⅞ | ⅞ |
| 750 | Penn.-Wyom'g. | 31 | 31 | 31 | 31 |
| 200 | Silver Queen | 1 | 1 1-16 | 1 | 1 1-16 |
| 100 | Sup. & Pitts. | 12½ | 12½ | 12½ | 12½ |
| 30 | Tintic Mining | 3¼ | 3¼ | 3¼ | 3¼ |
| 200 | Tonopah Ext. | 15-16 | 15-16 | ⅞ | 15-16 |
| 850 | Ton. M. of N. | 5 11-16 | 5⅞ | 5 11-16 | 5 13-16 |
| 2,500 | Tramps Con. | 20½ | 20½ | 20 | 20 |
| 500 | Trethewey | 58 | 58 | 58 | 58 |
| 8,700 | Tri-Bullion | 2 | 2 1-16 | 1 15-16 | 2 1-16 |
| 200 | Union Mines | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 442 | United Copper | *4¾ | *5¼ | 4¾ | 5 |
| 1,000 | United Rico | 28 | 30 | 28 | 28 |
| | BONDS. | | | | |
| $20,000 | Con. S. S. 4s | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| 10,000 | Giroux consol. conv. 6s, full paid | 100½ | 100½ | 100½ | 100½ |
| 28,000 | Nev. C. C. 6s | 120 | 125 | 118 | 120 |

*Odd lots.

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The bid and asked prices at the close of the market yesterday compare as follows with those of Thursday:

| | March 13. Bid. | March 13. Asked. | March 12. Bid. | March 12. Asked. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| American Chicle | 178 | 182 | 178 | 182 |
| American Tobacco | 255 | 270 | 245 | 255 |
| Am. Writing Paper | 1⅞ | 2½ | 1⅞ | 2½ |
| Am. Writing Paper pf. | 17 | 20 | 17 | 20 |
| Bay State Gas | 1 1-16 | 1⅛ | 1 1-16 | 1⅛ |
| Brooklyn Ferry | 1½ | 2½ | 1½ | 2½ |
| Brooklyn Ferry bonds | 28 | 33 | 28 | 33 |
| Boston Copper | 15⅜ | 15⅝ | 15 | 15¼ |
| British Col. Copper | 4 | 4½ | 4¼ | 4⅝ |
| Butte Coalition | 20¼ | 20½ | 20¼ | 20½ |
| Butte-New York | 1⅝ | 2 | 1⅜ | 2 |
| Cobalt Central | 25½ | 26 | 25 | 26 |
| Central Foundry | 1½ | 2 | 1½ | 2 |
| Central Foundry pf. | 7 | 9 | 7 | 9 |
| Chicago Subway | 16¾ | 17¼ | 16¾ | 17¼ |
| Combination Fraction | 77 | 79 | 77 | 79 |
| Cumberland-Ely Mining | 8¼ | 8⅝ | 8 | 8¼ |
| Davis-Daly | 4 | 4¼ | 4 | 4¼ |
| Dominion Copper | 2 1-16 | 2¼ | 2 1-16 | 2¼ |
| Ely Central | ¾ | ⅞ | ¾ | ⅞ |
| Goldfield Con. | 5⅛ | 5¼ | 5⅛ | 5¼ |
| Goldfield Daisy | 134 | 135 | 113 | 116 |
| Gold Hill | ⅝ | ¾ | ⅝ | ¾ |
| Greene-Cananea | 8⅜ | 8½ | 8¼ | 8½ |
| Greene Gold-Silver | ½ | 9-16 | ½ | 9-16 |
| Greene Gold-Silver pf. | 1⅞ | 2⅛ | 1⅞ | 2⅛ |
| Guggenheim Explor. | 150 | 160 | 150 | 160 |
| Havana Tobacco | 6 | 9 | 6 | 9 |
| Havana Tobacco pf. | 16 | 19 | 16 | 19 |
| International Salt | 10 | 11 | 10 | 11 |
| Manhattan Transit | 3½ | 3¾ | 3½ | 3¾ |
| Micmac Mines | 4¼ | 4½ | 4¼ | 4⅝ |
| Mines Co. of America | 1¼ | 1⅜ | 1¼ | 1½ |
| Nevada Copper | 11⅛ | 11¼ | 10⅞ | 11 |
| Nevada-Utah M. & S. | 4 | 4⅛ | 3⅞ | 4 |
| Otis Elevator | 25 | 30 | 25 | 30 |
| Otis Elevator pf. | 80 | 90 | 80 | 90 |
| Standard Milling pf. | 25 | 26 | 25 | 28 |
| Standard Oil | 501 | 510 | 501 | 510 |
| Tri-Bullion | 1 15-16 | 2 | 1 15-16 | 2 |
| United Copper | 4¾ | 5⅞ | 4⅜ | 5⅞ |
| United Copper pf. | 20 | 26 | 20 | 26 |

## CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE.

### Friday, March 13, 1908.

| Sales. | | Open. | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 21,060 | Amal. Copper | 54 | 56¼ | 53¾ | 56¼ |
| 70 | Am. Car & F. | 29⅜ | 29⅜ | 29⅜ | 29⅜ |
| 10 | Am. Cot. Oil | 27 | 27 | 27 | 27 |
| 340 | Am. Locomo. | 36⅝ | 37⅝ | 36¼ | 36⅝ |
| 21,430 | Am. Smelting | 65¼ | 68 | 65⅛ | 68 |
| 580 | Am. Sugar | 118¼ | 119¼ | 118 | 119¼ |
| 1,160 | Anaconda Cop. | 34 | 35⅛ | 33⅝ | 35 |
| 650 | A., T. & S. F. | 71¾ | 72½ | 71¼ | 72½ |
| 70 | Balt. & Ohio | 81⅜ | 81⅞ | 81¼ | 81⅞ |
| 8,630 | Brooklyn R. T. | 43 | 44⅛ | 43 | 44⅛ |
| 20 | Can. Pacific | 144½ | 144⅝ | 144⅜ | 144⅝ |
| 10 | Ches. & Ohio | 29¼ | 29¼ | 29¼ | 29¼ |
| 30 | Chi. Gt. West. | 4½ | 4½ | 4½ | 4½ |
| 2,690 | C., M. & St. P. | 116¾ | 118 | 116½ | 118 |
| 670 | Col. Fuel & I. | 18¾ | 20 | 18½ | 20 |
| 230 | Dist. Secur. | 30¼ | 31¼ | 30⅛ | 30½ |
| 200 | Erie | 14¼ | 14⅝ | 14 | 14⅝ |
| 330 | Gt. North. pf. | 122 | 123 | 121¼ | 123 |
| 60 | Inter-Met. | 7½ | 7⅞ | 7½ | 7⅞ |
| 40 | Inter-Met. pf. | 20¼ | 20¼ | 20 | 20 |
| 30 | Louis. & Nash. | 95⅝ | 96⅛ | 95¾ | 96⅛ |
| 10 | Mexican Cent. | 18 | 18 | 18 | 18 |
| 140 | Mo., K. & T. | 22 | 22¼ | 21⅞ | 22 |
| 470 | Mo. Pacific | 34⅝ | 35¼ | 33⅞ | 34⅝ |
| 240 | National Lead | 48¼ | 49¼ | 48½ | 49 |
| 50 | N. Y. Air B. | 64 | 64 | 63 | 63 |
| 1,000 | N. Y. Central | 98¼ | 100 | 98⅛ | 99⅞ |
| 10 | N. Y., O. & W. | 32¼ | 32¼ | 32¼ | 32¼ |
| 2,890 | Nor. Pacific | 127 | 128¼ | 126⅞ | 128 |
| 1,000 | Pennsylvania | 116⅞ | 118 | 116½ | 116⅞ |
| 30 | Pressed S. Car. | 21⅞ | 21⅞ | 21⅞ | 21⅞ |
| 29,820 | Reading | 103⅝ | 104⅝ | 103 | 104⅝ |
| 10 | Republic Steel | 17⅜ | 17⅜ | 17⅜ | 17⅜ |
| 80 | Rock Island | 13⅜ | 14 | 13⅜ | 14 |
| 990 | South. Pacific | 73⅛ | 73⅞ | 72⅞ | 73⅞ |
| 140 | Southern Ry. | 11⅛ | 11⅛ | 10⅞ | 11 |
| 40,830 | Union Pacific | 122¾ | 124⅝ | 122 | 124⅝ |
| 10,090 | U. S. Steel | 32¾ | 33⅝ | 32⅝ | 33⅝ |
| 960 | U. S. Steel pf. | 95¾ | 96⅝ | 95⅝ | 96⅝ |
| 141,070 | | | | | |
| | MINING STOCKS. | | | | |
| 2,200 | Blue Bell | .10¼ | .10¼ | .10¼ | .10¼ |
| 1,000 | Bullfrog Min. | .08 | .08 | .08 | .08 |
| 1,700 | Com. Fraction | .80 | .80 | .77 | .78 |
| 300 | Con. C. & Va. | .58 | .58 | .58 | .58 |
| 800 | Comstock | .23 | .25 | .22 | .25 |
| 1,500 | Diamondfield | .19½ | .20 | .19½ | .20 |
| 300 | El Paso | .33 | .33 | .33 | .33 |
| 1,160 | Goldfield Con. | 5.12½ | 5.25 | 5.12½ | 5.25 |
| 1,300 | Goldf. Daisy | 1.23 | 1.30 | 1.23 | 1.30 |
| 1,000 | Isabella | .34 | .34 | .34 | .34 |
| 800 | Little Chief | .07 | .07 | .07 | .07 |
| 200 | Mexican | .96 | .96 | .96 | .96 |
| 500 | Pharmacist | .04 | .04 | .04 | .04 |
| 1,200 | Silver Pick | .26½ | .27 | .26½ | .27 |
| 2,200 | Tramps Con. | .19½ | .20 | .19½ | .20 |
| 200 | Yellow Jacket | 1.20 | 1.20 | 1.20 | 1.20 |
| 15,860 | | | | | |
| | WHEAT. | | | | |
| 650,000 | May option | .93⅝ | .95 | .93⅝ | .94⅞ |

## METAL MARKET REPORTS.

All grades of copper were advanced ⅛ cent on the New York Metal Exchange yesterday, bringing lake up to 12.62½@12.87½c, electrolytic to 12.50@12.75c, and castings to 12.37½@12.62½c. In the London market both spot copper and that for future delivery closed 5s above Thursday night's figures, at £58 12s 6d for the former and £59 for the latter. Tin was ⅝ cent higher on the bid price in New York and £1 higher in London for spot and 15s higher for futures, at £135 15s and £132 15s respectively.

Lead was unchanged locally and in London, closing at the latter centre at £13 13s 9d. Spelter was strong in London, at £21 5s, an advance of 5s, but unchanged in New York. Iron warrants were quoted in London at 49s 9d for standard foundry and 51s 3d for Middlesborough.

Closing quotations on the Metal Exchange yesterday compare as follows with those of Thursday:

| | Yesterday. Bid. | Yesterday. Asked. | Thursday. Bid. | Thursday. Asked. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lake | 12.62½ | 12.87½ | 12.50 | 12.75 |
| Electrolytic | 12.50 | 12.75 | 12.37½ | 12.62½ |
| Castings | 12.37½ | 12.62½ | 12.25 | 12.50 |
| Lead | 3.65 | 3.70 | 3.65 | 3.70 |
| Spelter | 4.60 | 4.70 | 4.60 | 4.70 |
| Tin | 29.62½ | 30.00 | 29.00 | 29.25 |

## TRANSACTIONS IN BONDS.

### NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

### Friday, March 13, 1908.

Panama Canal 10-30 year 2s
10,000....103¼
Impri Jap Gov 4½s, sterl loan
1,000....85⅞
500....86⅛
500....86¼
500....86
8,000....85⅞
2d series
8,000....85¼
U S of Mexico 5s
1,000....99
N Y State 4% bds, when issued
2,000....109
N Y City 4½s, 1957
15,000....107⅝
22,000....107½
N Y City 4½s, 1957, temp rects
50,000....106⅞
11,000....107
85,000....106⅞
4,000....107
39,000....106¾
10,000....106⅞
76,000....106⅞
N Y City 4½s, 1917, temp rects
52,000....102½
Am Tobacco 6s
10,000....103¾
12,000....104
Am Tobacco 4s
10,000....65⅜
28,000....66
At, T & S F gen 4s
5,000....98¼
conv 5s
15,000....97
2,000....96⅞
7,000....96⅞
10,000....96⅞
conv 4s
8,000....87⅛
2,000....87
Balt & O gold 4s
1,000....99
So Wn div 3½s
1,000....86⅞
B R Tr ref conv 4s
5,000....69⅝
2,000....69½
15,000....69⅝
15,000....69⅞
10,000....70
5,000....69⅞
20,000....70
10,000....70⅛
16,000....70
5,000....69⅞
29,000....70
1,000....70⅛
20,000....70
5,000....70⅛
1,000....70⅛
1,000....70
1,000....70⅛
5,000....70⅛
15,000....70⅛
10,000....70⅜
2,000....70⅛
53,000....70½
Bklyn Un Elev 1st
2,000....94½
6,000....95
Can So 1st 5s, J P M & Co tr rects
1,000....105⅜
Cen of Ga Ry con 5s
5,000....101¼
2,000....101⅛
2d inc 5s
7,000....45½
3d inc 5s
10,000....33
Centl Leather 5s
1,000....90⅝
5,000....90⅞
Cent Pac gtd 3½s
11,000s20f....88¼
Ches & O gen 4½s
1,000....98
5,000....98⅛
5,000....98
1,000....98½
Chi, B & Q joint 4s
2,000....94½
5,000....94⅝
3,000....94½
Ill div 4s
16,000....99½
Chi & E Ill gen 5s
2,000....110½
Chi, R I & P gen 4s
2,000s20f....95
Chi, R I & P R R refundg 4s
23,000....86¼
Chi, R I & P R R 4s
1,000....60½
15,000....60¼
15,000....60½
1,000....60⅝
20,000....60⅜
Chi, R I & P R R col trust 5s
1,000....64⅝
8,000....64½
10,000....64¼
5,000....64½
5,000....64⅞
5,000....65
Colo Industrial 5s
10,000....45
Col & Southn ref & ext 4½s
4,000....74½
25,000....74
Consol Gas Co conv deb 6s
1,000....105
2,000....105¼
Del & Hud cnv 4s
11,000....96¼
Dist Sec Corp 5s
7,000....72
5,000....71⅝
Dul & Ir R 1st, reg
1,000....106½
Edison El Ill of N Y 1st conv 5s
2,000....98½
Erie 1st gen 4s
5,000....60
Erie conv 4s, Ser B
1,000....45
Erie, Penn col tr 4s
1,000....72
Ft Wth & D C 1st
2,000....107½
Gen Elec 3½s
10,000....79
Green Bay & Wn deb ctfs B
1,000....10⅝
Hock Vy 1st 4½s
5,000....99½
Inter-Metro 4½s
60,000....57
1,000....57¼
5,000....57⅜
10,000....57¼
10,000....57¼
4,000....57⅜
49,000....57
10,000....57¼
35,000....57¼
10,000....57⅜
10,000....57½
2,000....57⅜
16,000....57⅜
2,000....57½
8,000....58
20,000....57⅞
10,000....58
1,000....58¼
Inter-Metro 4½s
19,000....58
13,000....58¼
17,000....58½
Iowa Central ref 4s
10,000....75
K Cy, Ft S & M 6s
1,000....113
Kan City So 3s
2,000....70½
6,000....71
L S & M S 4s, 1931
10,000....91½
1,000....91⅝
Leh Vy of P con 4s
1,600....92
Lo & N unified 4s
20,000....95¾
Mex Cent con 4s
6,000....82½
10,000....82⅜
Mex Cent 2d inc
14,000....17
8,000....17⅛
25,000....17
Mo, K & T 1st 4s
1,000....95½
Mo, K & T s f 4½s
1,000....72½
3,000....72¼
1,000....72⅜
6,000....72
Mo, K & T of Tx 5s
1,000....100
Mo Pacific 4s
4,000....74¾
Nat R R of Mexico prior lien 4½s
5,000....100
N Y Cen & Hud R gen 3½s
15,000....88¾
deb 4s, 1934
2,000....94⅛
N Y, Chi & St L 4s
1,000....99¼
N Y, N H & H R R conv 3½s
4,500....88
N Y, N H & H cnv deb 6s, sub ctfs 1st instal paid
2,200....119¾
N Y, N H & H cnv deb 6s sub ctfs full paid
6,000....121⅝
Norf & Wn con 4s
10,000....95¼
20,000....95
Norf & Wn cnv 4s
5,000....81⅝
10,000....81½
Northn Pacific 4s
59,000....100¼
Nor Pac gen 3s
2,000....70⅝
Penn conv 3½s
25,000....93½
1,000....94
1,000....93½
1915
1,000....90¼
2,000....90
15,000....90⅛
1,000....90
500....90¼
1,000....90⅛
Peop G L & C ref 5s
1,000....97
Peo & East inc 4s
5,000....46
Reading gen 4s
21,000....94⅞
8,000....95
Rio Gde Wn 1st
1,000....88½
1,000....89
St L, Iron Mt & So unify & ref 4s
1,000....68
St L & San Fr R R refundg 4s
12,000....69
1,000....68⅝
2,000....68⅞
1,000....69
St L Sthwn con 4s
2,000....58⅝
St Paul, Min & M 1st con 6s, reduc to 4½s
10,000....105¼
Sea A L R gold 4s
3,000....46½
So Pac 1st ref 4s
1,000....89
2,000....88⅝
Southern Ry 5s
1,000....84⅛
4,000....84
T C, Ir & R gen 5s
9,000....87
Tex & Pac 1st 5s
7,000....101
1,000....101⅛
Third Av con 4s, Cen Tr Co ctfs
2,000....49
Union Pac 1st 4s
5,000....100
60,000....100¼
1,000....100
14,000....100⅛
10,000....100⅜
97,000....100⅛
15,000....100¼
Union Pac conv 4s
14,000....85
13,000....84¾
10,000....85
6,000....84⅞
10,000....84⅞
40,000....84⅞
1,000....85
500....85¼
500....85⅛
30,000....85
U S R & Imp 5s
6,000....66
2,000....65
U S Steel Corp skg fund 5s
6,000....90⅛
52,000....90¼
22,000....90⅜
4,000....90¼
12,000....90⅜
21,000....90¼
1,000....90⅛
21,000....90¼
1,000....90⅜
1,000-o....90½
2,000....90¼
10,000....90⅜
registered
500....90⅜
500....90¼
500....90¼
Wabash 1st 5s
1,000s6f....103
Wab ref & ext 4s
6,000....41
Wab, Pitts Ter 1st
19,000....42
12,000....41
Wab, Pitts Ter 2d
5,000....11
2,000....11½
8,000....10⅝
3,000....10½
Westn Maryl 4s
4,000....54¼
West Shore 4s, reg
1,000....99½
4,000....100
West Un fundg real est 4½s
2,000....83½
Westingh El & Mfg 1st con s f 5s
1,000....68

Total sales March 13, 1908.......... $2,446,700
From Jan. 1, 1908.......... 175,170,020
Corresponding period last year.......... 112,957,500

## THE COTTON MARKET.

### Domestic News Causes Decline—Closes 6 to 16 Points Down.

Cotton declined further yesterday. Lower cables, talk of increasing fertilizer sales, persistent messages from the Southwest reporting that a considerable percentage of the crop was still held in the interior, and reports of a small spot demand were the depressing factors. The market closed barely steady at a net decline of 6@16 points. Sales were estimated at 225,000 bales.

The market opened easy at a decline of 4@9 points, and beyond one or two slight rallies showed a generally declining tendency.

Supt. King's weekly total crop movement figures follow: Port receipts, 7,155,926 bales, against 8,688,782 bales last year; overland to mills and Canada, 529,247, against 944,859 last year; Southern mill takings, 1,491,000, against 1,621,000 last year; stock at interior towns in excess of Sept. 1, 380,408, against 397,851 last year; brought into sight thus far for season, 9,556,581, against 11,652,492 last year. The total crop movement is for 195 days this season, against 196 days last season.

The range of contract prices in the local market was as follows:

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Thurs. Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| March | 10.33 | 10.23 | 10.25@10.26 | 10.40 |
| April | 10.35 | 10.35 | 10.28@10.30 | 10.43 |
| May | 10.46 | 10.33 | 10.37@10.38 | 10.57 |
| June | 10.30 | 10.26 | 10.27@10.29 | 10.40 |
| July | 10.29 | 10.20 | 10.22@10.23 | 10.34 |
| August | 10.08 | 10.04 | 10.04@10.06 | 10.16 |
| October | 9.81 | 9.76 | 9.78@ 9.79 | 9.84 |
| December | 9.85 | 9.80 | 9.81@ 9.82 | 9.87 |

The local market for spot cotton was quiet, with prices 10 points lower, at 11.20c for middling upland and 11.45c for middling Gulf. Sales, 300 bales.

Southern spot markets were telegraphed as follows: Mobile quiet, unchanged at 11⅛c; sales, 200 bales. Savannah dull, ⅛c lower, at 10¾c; sales, 550 bales. Norfolk dull, unchanged at 11⅝c; sales, 153 bales. Augusta quiet, ⅛c lower, at 11⅛c; sales, 712 bales. Galveston dull, ⅛c lower, at 11 3-16c; sales, 200 bales. New Orleans quiet, ⅛c lower, at 11⅛c; sales, 2,150 bales. Houston quiet, ⅛c lower, at 11⅛c; sales, 92 bales.

## INCORPORATED IN NEW JERSEY.

TRENTON, March 13.—The following companies were chartered here to-day:

Nutley Heights Realty Corporation, Newark; capital, $8,500. Incorporators—Edmund C. Babcock, George E. King, and Charles H. Attwater. The company is to deal in real estate.

Bohemian Real Estate Association, Elizabeth; capital, $50,000. Incorporators—Charles Nortorey, Frank Hurly, and John Baly. The company is to deal in real estate.

The German Theatre, Incorporated, Jersey City; capital, $250,000. Incorporators—George Edwin Joseph, Mayer H. Tauster, and John R. Turner. The company is to operate theatres.

Peerless Vending Machine Company, Camden; capital, $100,000. Incorporators—Melville Stoltz, Jesse Morgenthan, and N. A. Henry. The company is to manufacture vending machines.

Richard W. Jeffries Company, Camden; capital, $100,000. Incorporators—Richard W. Jeffries, Franklin M. Walton, and John M. Tobin. The company is to manufacture cabinets.

## BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS.

The following were the closing quotations for Government bonds and for stocks in which there were no transactions:

| | Bid. | Asked. | | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2s, r., 1930 | 103⅝ | 104½ | K. & D. M. | 3 | 6 |
| 2s, c., 1930 | 104½ | .. | K. & D. M. pf. | 15 | 30 |
| 3s, r., 1918 | 101 | 102 | Laclede Gas | .. | 100 |
| 3s, c., 1918 | 101 | 102 | Lacl. G. pf. | 50 | 100 |
| 3s, 1918, sm. | 100½ | .. | L. E. & W. | 13 | 15 |
| 4s, r., 1925 | 121½ | 122½ | L. E. & W. pf. | 36 | 40 |
| 4s, c., 1925 | 122½ | .. | Lake Shore | 275 | .. |
| Panama 2s | 103 | 103½ | Long Island | 27 | 30 |
| A. A. C. pf. | 79 | 80 | Mackay Cos., ex div. | 56 | 58 |
| Am. B. S. | 10½ | 11¼ | Mah. C. R. | 280 | .. |
| A. B. S. pf. | .. | 80 | Man. Beach | 2 | 6 |
| Am. Coal | .. | 150 | Man. Elev., ex div. | 125 | 130 |
| A. C. O. pf. | 80 | 85 | Md. C. pf. | 75 | .. |
| Am. D. Tel. | .. | 39 | Met. St. Ry. | 15 | 17 |
| Am. Exp. | 175 | 190 | Mich. Cent. | 110 | 175 |
| A. H. & L. | 2½ | 3 | M. S. T. pf. | .. | 90 |
| A. H. & L. pf. | 14 | 15½ | M. & St. L. pf. | 58 | 65 |
| Am. L. Co. | 6¼ | 8 | M., St. P. & S. S. M. pf. | 125 | 135 |
| Am. L. Co. pf. | 17 | 20 | Mo., K. & T. pf. | 52⅞ | 53¼ |
| Am. M. pf. | 26 | 28 | Nat. Bis. | 77½ | 79 |
| A. S. pf., B. | .. | 76½ | Nat. B. pf. | 110 | 111¼ |
| Am. Sn., ex div. | 150 | 240 | Nat. Enam. | 8⅜ | 9 |
| Am. Sn. pf., ex div. | 80 | 88 | Nat. En. pf. | 66 | 76 |
| A. S. F. pf. | 29 | 31 | Nat. L. pf. | 92 | 93 |
| A. T. & C. | 50 | 60 | N. R. R. of Mex. pf. | 48½ | 50 |
| A. T. & T. | 108½ | 110 | N. Cent. C. | 25 | 40 |
| Am. W. Co. | 16½ | 18 | N. Y., C. & St. L. 1st pf. | 85 | 100 |
| Ann Arbor | 20 | 30 | N. Y., C. & St. L. 2d pf. | 60 | 64 |
| Ann A. pf. | 70 | 80 | N. Y. D. Co. | 25 | 30 |
| B. & O. pf. | 80 | 82 | N. Y. D. Co. pf. | 73½ | .. |
| Beth. Steel | 10 | 15 | N. Y., N. H. & H. | 131 | 134½ |
| Beth. S. pf. | 33 | 37 | N. Y. & N. J. Tel. | 99 | 100 |
| B. Un. G. | 90 | 100 | N. & W. pf. | 70 | 80 |
| Bruns. City | 6½ | 9 | Ont. Mining | 3 | 4 |
| B., R. & P. | 70 | 105 | Pac. Coast | 82½ | 83½ |
| B., R. & P. pf. | 99 | .. | P. C. 1st pf. | 80 | 100 |
| B. & S. pf. | .. | 65 | P. C. 2d pf. | 80 | 85 |
| But'k Co. | 14½ | 20 | Peo. & E. | 12 | 16 |
| Canada So. | 57 | 62½ | P., C., C. & St. L. | 67 | 70 |
| C. C. & C. | .. | 60 | P., C., C. & St. L. pf. | 84 | 90 |
| Cent. L. pf. | 81 | 83½ | Pitts. Coal | 8½ | 9⅝ |
| C. R. R. of N. J. | 165 | 170 | Pitts. C. pf. | 37 | 40 |
| C. & S. A. Tel. | .. | 110 | Quicksilver | ⅜ | .. |
| Chi. & Alt. | 10 | 11½ | Q'ksil'r pf. | 1¼ | 4 |
| C. & A. pf. | .. | 49 | R. R. Sec., Ill. C. stk. ctfs. | .. | 84½ |
| C., B. & Q. | 150 | 240 | R. S. S. pf. | 75 | 90 |
| C. & E. Ill. pf. | .. | 125 | Rdg. 1st pf. | 80 | 88 |
| Chi. Gt. W. pf., B. | 5⅜ | 7 | Rdg. 2d pf. | 78½ | 80 |
| C. G. W. d. | 83½ | .. | Rens. & Sar. | 160 | 185 |
| C., I. & L. pf. | 40 | 90 | R., W. & O. | 112 | 120 |
| C., M. & St. P. pf. | 142 | 144½ | Rutland pf. | 27 | 35 |
| C. & N. W. pf. | 180 | 200 | St. L. & S. F. 1st pf. | 45 | .. |
| Chi., St. P., M. & Om. pf. | 140 | 160 | St. L. & S. F., C. & E. I. new ctfs. | 40 | 60 |
| Chi. Ter. T. | .. | 5 | St. L. & S. F., C. & E. I. pf. ctfs. | .. | 130 |
| C. U. T. cts. | 2 | 2½ | S.-S. S. & I. pf. | 92 | 94 |
| C. U. T. pf. ctfs. | 5 | 10½ | So. Pac. pf. | 110 | 111 |
| C., S. & C. pf. | 100 | .. | Tex. Cent. | 40 | [illegible] |
| C., C., C. & St. L. pf. | 88 | 92 | Tex. C. pf. | 70 | [illegible] |
| C., L. & W. | 115 | .. | T. P. L. Tr. | 55 | [illegible] |
| C., L. & W. pf. | 115 | .. | Third Av. | 16 | 18¼ |
| C. F. & I. pf. | .. | 58 | T., P. & W. | 16 | 20½ |
| Consol. Coal | .. | 90 | U. B. & P. | 4⅜ | [illegible] |
| C. P. R. pf. | 60 | 62 | U. B. & P. pf., ex d. | 46¼ | 51 |
| C. R. & L. | 61½ | .. | U. C. M. pf. | 80 | 90 |
| D., L. & W. | 474 | 485 | U. Rys. In. | 17 | 17½ |
| D. & R. G. | 19¼ | 19½ | U. S. C. I. Pipe pf. | 66 | 69 |
| D. M. & Ft. D. | 5½ | 10 | U. S. Exp. | 65 | 81 |
| Det. South. | 2 | 6 | U. S. Leath. | 3 | 13 |
| Det. So. pf. | 15 | 40 | U. S. L. pf. | 89 | 93 |
| Det. U. Ry. | 31 | .. | U. S. R. & Imp't | 41¼ | 41⅝ |
| D., S. S. & A. | 6 | 7 | U. S. R. & Ref. | 6¼ | 9 |
| D., S. S. & A. pf. | 14 | 15 | U. S. R. & R. pf. | 19 | 26 |
| Erie 2d pf. | 19½ | 20½ | U. S. R. 2d pf. | 52 | 60 |
| Ev. & T. H. | 65 | 80 | Vand. R. R. | .. | 35 |
| Ev. & T. H. pf. | 75 | 100 | Va.-Car. Ch. Co. | 17 | 17¼ |
| F. M. & S. | 40 | 81 | Vul. Detin. | 1½ | 5⅝ |
| Fed. S. pf. | 79 | 86½ | Vul. D. pf. | .. | 25 |
| Gen. C. Co. | 50 | 60 | W.-F. Exp. | 250 | 300 |
| Gen. C. Co. pf. | 85 | 92½ | W. & L. E. | 4½ | 5 |
| G. & S. T. | 100 | 110 | W. & L. E. 1st pf. | 13 | 15 |
| Granby Con. | 84 | 91 | W. & L. E. 2d pf. | 6 | 6¼ |
| Hav. E. Ry. | 20 | 25 | Wis. Cent. | 13⅝ | 15¼ |
| H. E. R. pf. | 65 | 95 | Wis. C. pf. | 35 | 38 |
| Hock. V. R. | 66 | 70 | | | |
| Hock. V. pf. | 69 | 73 | | | |
| Homestake | 71 | 73 | | | |
| Ill. Central | 127½ | 129 | | | |
| Inger.-Rand | 40 | 50 | | | |
| Int. B. M. | 5⅜ | 7 | | | |
| Int. Paper | 9 | 9½ | | | |
| Int. Power | 25 | 40 | | | |
| Iowa C. pf. | 29 | 30 | | | |
| K. & M. r. | 20 | 30 | | | |
| K. C., F. S. & M. pf. | 60 | 65 | | | |
| Kan. C. So. | 22⅝ | 23 | | | |

## RAILROAD EARNINGS.

| | 1908. | 1907. | 1906. |
|---|---|---|---|
| CENTRAL OF GEORGIA— | | | |
| Mileage | 1,913 | 1,894 | 1,890 |
| 1st week March | $225,200 | $275,600 | $287,400 |
| From July 1 | 8,372,700 | 8,545,200 | 8,000,274 |
| CHICAGO, INDIANAPOLIS & LOUISVILLE— | | | |
| Mileage | 599 | 591 | 591 |
| 1st week March | 84,620 | 104,673 | 107,840 |
| July 1-March 7 | 3,626,738 | 4,044,169 | 4,066,405 |
| HIDALGO & NORTHEASTERN— | | | |
| Mileage | 152 | 152 | 152 |
| 1st week March | 17,827 | 17,640 | ...... |
| July 1-March 7 | 685,999 | 681,669 | ...... |
| INTEROCEANIC RY. OF MEXICO— | | | |
| Mileage | 736 | 736 | 736 |
| 1st week March | 154,135 | 152,201 | 146,840 |
| July 1-March 7 | 5,313,819 | 4,837,206 | 4,159,927 |
| MEXICAN INTERNATIONAL— | | | |
| Mileage | 918 | 911 | 884 |
| 1st week March | 161,314 | 170,861 | 156,582 |
| July 1-March 7 | 5,616,345 | 5,474,006 | 4,695,279 |
| MINNEAPOLIS, ST. PAUL & SAULT STE. MARIE— | | | |
| Mileage | 2,262 | 2,200 | 1,828 |
| 1st week March | 182,903 | 196,175 | 190,760 |
| July 1-March 7 | 8,371,493 | 8,330,603 | 7,923,430 |
| MOBILE & OHIO— | | | |
| Mileage | 926 | 926 | 926 |
| 1st week March | 138,950 | 183,584 | 169,235 |
| July 1-March 7 | 6,904,082 | 7,074,984 | 6,296,855 |
| NATIONAL RAILROAD OF MEXICO— | | | |
| Mileage | 1,732 | 1,730 | 1,730 |
| 1st week March | 299,513 | 307,226 | 276,848 |
| July 1-March 7 | 10,891,404 | 10,300,304 | 9,217,153 |
| RIO GRANDE SOUTHERN— | | | |
| Mileage | 180 | 180 | 180 |
| 1st week March | 9,052 | 11,319 | 9,358 |
| July 1-March 7 | 429,962 | 422,845 | 397,063 |
| TOLEDO, PEORIA & WESTERN— | | | |
| Mileage | 248 | 248 | 248 |
| 1st week March | 20,454 | 20,730 | ...... |
| July 1-March 7 | 868,429 | 881,580 | ...... |

TOLEDO, ST. LOUIS & WESTERN—

| | 1908. | 1907. | Increase. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Oper. revenue | 288,378 | 332,996 | *44,618 |
| Oper. expenses | 216,279 | 229,627 | *13,348 |
| Net oper. rev. | 72,099 | 103,369 | *31,270 |
| Taxes | 11,000 | 11,000 | ...... |
| Oper. income | 61,099 | 92,369 | *31,270 |
| Mis. chgs. and credits to inc. (cred.) | 118,453 | 3,097 | 115,356 |
| Bal. avail. for interest | 179,552 | 95,466 | 84,086 |
| Seven months ended Jan. 31: | | | |
| Oper. revenue | 2,488,600 | 2,471,115 | 17,485 |
| Oper. expenses | 1,636,639 | 1,712,320 | *75,681 |
| Net oper. rev. | 851,961 | 758,795 | 93,166 |
| Taxes | 77,000 | 77,000 | ...... |
| Oper. income (taxes deducted) | 774,961 | 681,795 | 93,166 |
| Mis. chgs. and credits to inc. (cred.) | 65,870 | 21,782 | 44,088 |
| Bal. avail. for interest | 840,831 | 703,577 | 137,254 |

*Decrease.

Miscellaneous Earnings.

WESTERN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY for the year ended Jan. 31—

| | 1908. | 1907. | 1906. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Interest | 668,109 | 712,481 | 481,523 |
| Dividends | 1,456,305 | 1,109,328 | 1,028,324 |
| Miscellaneous | ...... | ...... | 4,995 |
| Total net r'c'ts | 2,124,414 | 1,821,754 | 1,464,842 |
| Int. and dis. | 1,287,451 | 870,751 | 543,163 |
| General exp. | 29,100 | 51,332 | 34,247 |
| Total | 1,316,551 | 922,084 | 577,413 |
| Net revenue | 807,862 | 899,670 | 887,429 |
| Dividends | 800,000 | 800,000 | 800,000 |
| Surplus | 7,862 | 99,670 | 87,426 |

## PITTSBURG TRANSACTIONS.

*Special to The New York Times.*

PITTSBURG, March 13.—The following were the transactions on the local Exchange to-day:

| Sales. | STOCKS. | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 200 | Cable Con. | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| 160 | Cable Con. pf | 37 | 36¾ | 36⅞ |
| 200 | Crucible Steel | 5⅛ | 5⅛ | 5⅛ |
| 10 | Fireproofing | 3⅝ | 3⅝ | 3⅝ |
| 235 | H. W. R. pf | 65 | 63 | 65 |
| 30 | Con. Ice pf | 38 | 38 | 38 |
| 35 | Ind. Brew. pf | 24 | 24 | 24 |
| 2,500 | Ind. Mining | 18 | 17 | 18 |
| 1,440 | Pittsburg Brewing | 19 | 18 | 18⅞ |
| 200 | Pittsburg Cons | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| 55 | Pitts. Plate Glass | 94⅞ | 94½ | 94⅞ |
| 259 | R. C. pf | 23⅞ | 23½ | 23⅞ |
| 108 | Shoshone | 2⅝ | 2⅝ | 2⅝ |
| 1,300 | Tonopah Extension | 94 | 90 | 90 |
| 20 | U. S. Steel | 33½ | 33 | 33 |
| 53 | U. S. Steel pf | 95⅝ | 95½ | 95⅝ |
| 58½ | W. A. B. | 95 | 95 | 95 |
| 189 | Western Electric 2d | 20 | 19⅞ | 19⅞ |
| 70 | W. P. pf | 65 | 65 | 65 |
| | BONDS. | | | |
| $5,000 | Pittsburg Brew. 6s | 100¼ | 100⅛ | 100¼ |
| 2,000 | P., M. & C. 5s | 100⅞ | 100⅞ | 100⅞ |

Guaranty Trust Co.
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33 LOMBARD ST., London, E. C.
Capital, $2,000,000. Surplus, $5,500,000
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188 Montague Street, Brooklyn.

## TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

### Fitting Causes to Effect.

Further advances in the market in the late trading stimulated waning hopes yesterday and inspired the belief that prices would be carried higher by those who have been influential in inspiring the present movement. In the earlier part of the session, when there were periods of dullness, the usual suggestion explanatory of the market was that the shorts had been the most effective factor in the advance and that with the gradual elimination of the short interest the tendency of prices must of necessity be lower. Reactions were explained by the theory of professionals testing the market for weak spots, with the ultimate purpose of putting out heavy lines of stock if their investigations warranted such action. Later in the day, when Union Pacific and other stocks showed that there was no intention on the part of those interested in them to permit any material depression, it was suggested that those interests—not the shorts, of course—which had brought about the advance had not attempted yet to distribute the stocks accumulated, and in consequence the market would have to go higher. This is the usual procedure in the financial district. Given a condition, and a cause will be found to fit it without difficulty.

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### Waiting for the Public.

Brokers give conflicting opinions with regard to the market, the immediate outlook, and the effect the recent change in prices has had on the average trader. Some go so far as to say that public interest is stimulated; others point out that only the professional and semi-professional elements have made their appearance in the market, but there is not wanting some one to take the positive ground that some of the trading has represented genuine public interest. Before the proposal involved could be thoroughly analyzed it would be necessary, of course, to distinguish clearly just what class of traders is involved when the public is referred to. The wire houses are perhaps in closer touch with that speculative section of the community than any other trading organization, and these men differ according to the individual business done. It might be safe to accept as a fact that the public has become curious, which is the first stage, sometimes culminating in the speculative fever.

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### Learning Judicious Economy.

"Coming up from Washington yesterday, I met on the train two men, one an old friend and one an acquaintance, to whom I was introduced something more than a year ago," said a bank officer. "Inevitably, the talk drifted to financial conditions, the stock market, the legislative outlook from the point of view of Wall Street, and then came the reminiscences. Both these men are wealthy in the general acceptation of the term, and I believe both to be more than ordinarily shrewd operators in the market. I was amazed when, in the course of the conversation, my old friend informed me that his operations in stocks last year had cost him $700,000, and this feeling of surprise was emphasized when the other man said that his had cost him fully $500,000. There was no reason why they should exaggerate, and I accepted and do accept their statements literally. I was highly amused, however, when, after crossing the ferry, my friend took a trolley car to his destination. A year ago it would have been an automobile, or at worst a cab. I met him a little later in the day and chaffed him about his development of extraordinary economy, and he informed me that his experiences this year had made him feel so poor that he could not possibly indulge in the luxury of a cab."

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### Placing Loans Difficult.

To judge by the call money rates quoted daily in the financial district, as well as the rates for time funds and for commercial paper, there is plenty of money to be had, and no reason why good loans should go begging. Yet it is difficult to raise money on approved security and good credit at times. At present a loan of $100,000 is now being sought in the financial district by the controlling influence in a certain street railway system more or less remote from New York, but well located nevertheless. The securities offered for the loan are first class, even if they are not first mortgage bonds and listed on the Stock Exchange. The personal notes of half a dozen men of splendid credit are also pledged, and presumably the question of interest would be satisfactorily met. Still, it is a difficult matter to obtain the money, and probably the chief difficulty has been the inability of the principals to find the proper quarter for the making of such a loan.

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### Mental Attitude of Investors.

Bond men returning from the road report improved sentiment, if not improved business, among dealers and investors. They express the opinion that daily progress is being made in laying a foundation for a good bond market, but they are noncommittal when it comes to naming the period when actual activity will begin. One bond man, who has had some interesting experiences, said that among his individual investors at the moment he found two classes, one that would not consider any security of any kind, being still in fear of hard times and financial depression, and the other class eager to pick up bargains, competent to judge of the character and quality of the bond, and with a definite idea as to the price which would induce them to regard the security as an actual bargain. Possibly there is nothing essentially strange in such a condition among investors, but this bond man found it decidedly marked and significant of the mental attitude of his clients. He said also that better business would be likely to develop if Congress were out of the way, and he added that there was no question whatever that the political-financial agitation is having its effect in maintaining timidity.

## PHILADELPHIA PRICES.

*Special to The New York Times.*

PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—Trading in the local market was fairly active at firmer prices, but speculation was restricted largely to arbitrage dealings in Reading and United States Steel, which furnished more than two-thirds of the 33,903 shares dealt in. Pennsylvania Railroad was advanced ½ point, to 58⅞, on sales of less than 1,000 shares, and Lehigh Valley, with more than 2,000 shares selling, was up ¼ point, at 55.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 210 | Amalgamated Copper | 56⅛ | 54 | 56⅛ |
| 10 | American Smelting | 66½ | 66½ | 66½ |
| 3 | Bell Telephone | 94½ | 94½ | 94½ |
| 400 | B. R. T. | 44⅜ | 43⅜ | 44⅜ |
| 1,056 | Cambria Steel | 29⅛ | 28⅝ | 29⅛ |
| 90 | Catawissa 2d pf. | 54 | 54 | 54 |
| 25 | Electric Co. of Am. | 9 | 9 | 9 |
| 7 | Electric Stor. Battery | 28 | 27⅞ | 28 |
| 20 | Keystone Tel. pf. | 20 | 20 | 20 |
| 2,130 | Lehigh Valley | 55 | 54⅝ | 55 |
| 10 | Lehigh Navigation | 86¼ | 86½ | 86½ |
| 2 | Lehigh Nav. t. c. | 86 | 86 | 86 |
| 35 | Marsden | 1 1-16 | 11-16 | 1 1-16 |
| 962 | Pennsylvania | 58⅞ | 58⅜ | 58⅞ |
| 4 | Philadelphia Co. | 36 | 36 | 36 |
| 2 | Philadelphia Co. pf. | 37½ | 37½ | 37½ |
| 765 | Philadelphia Electric | 7 9-16 | 7 7-16 | 7 9-16 |
| 367 | Phila. Rapid Transit | 16⅛ | 15⅞ | 16⅛ |
| 50 | Phila. Traction | 84 | 84 | 84 |
| 12,704 | Reading | 52¼ | 51 11-16 | 52¼ |
| 975 | Tonopah Belmont | 1⅝ | 1 5-16 | 1⅝ |
| 845 | Tonopah Mining | 5 13-16 | 5 11-16 | 5 13-16 |
| 53 | Union Traction | 49 | 48⅝ | 48⅝ |
| 381 | United Gas Imp. | 77⅜ | 77⅛ | 77⅜ |
| 12,770 | U. S. Steel, ex div. | 33⅛ | 32¼ | 33⅛ |
| 27 | U. S. Steel pf. | 95⅞ | 95⅞ | 95⅞ |

### Western Maryland Bondholding Plan.

Alvin Krech, Chairman of the Western Maryland Bondholders' Committee, announced yesterday that the committee already controls over 40 per cent. of the bonds, and that it was assured of the early deposit of a majority of the bonds. The Equitable Trust Company is depository for the committee.

## GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

WHEAT.—Argentine shipments of 7,176,000 bushels, compared with 6,304,000 bushels the previous week, combined with a drop of 1⅛d at Liverpool, caused an opening decline yesterday. Bugs were then reported to be multiplying throughout Kansas and Oklahoma, turning the course of the market for the rest of the day. The stock at Minneapolis decreased 825,000 bushels for the week, and the Duluth stock increased 150,000. Late cables from Paris were 5 to 10 points lower, Berlin closed 2⅛c lower, and Budapest was partly ¼c net higher. Total wheat and flour clearances were 237,000 bushels. An export business of five loads was reported. Cash wheat in New York closed firm, as follows: No. 1 red, $1, elevator, and $1.01, free on board, afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, $1.14½, and No. 2 hard Winter, $1.12, free on board, afloat. The late Curb was ⅛c higher, at $1.02⅜ for May.

CORN.—The market was also well supported throughout the day on lighter receipts than expected and liberal clearances. English markets closed ¼ to ½d net lower, and there was an export business of one load. Argentine shipments amounted to 24,000 bushels, compared with 40,000 bushels the previous week. No. 2 corn in New York was quoted 73½c, elevator, and 67½c, free on board, afloat; No. 2 white, 68c, and No. 2 yellow, 68c, free on board, afloat.

### FUTURES.

NEW YORK PRICES.

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Thurs. Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat— | | | | |
| May | $1.02⅝ | $1.01¼ | $1.02¼ | $1.02 |
| July | 97⅛ | 96 | 97⅜ | 96⅞ |
| Corn— | | | | |
| May | 74⅛ | 73¾ | 74¼ | 73⅞ |
| July | .. | .. | 71⅛ | 70⅞ |

CHICAGO PRICES.

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Thurs. Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat— | | | | |
| May | 95¼ | 93¾ | 95 | 94⅛ |
| July | 89⅞ | 88⅝ | 89⅞ | 89 |
| September | 86⅞ | 85⅛ | 86⅞ | 86 |
| Corn— | | | | |
| May | 65⅞ | 64¾ | 65¾ | 64⅝ |
| July | 62⅜ | 61 | 62⅛ | 61⅝ |
| September | 61⅜ | 60 | 61⅛ | 60⅝ |
| Oats— | | | | |
| May | 54¼ | 53⅜ | 54⅛ | 53⅞ |
| July | 45⅛ | 44⅛ | 45⅜ | 44⅝ |
| Lard— | | | | |
| May | $7.77 | $7.65 | $7.75 | $7.72 |
| July | 8.00 | 7.87 | 7.97 | 7.95 |
| Ribs— | | | | |
| May | 6.72 | 6.62 | 6.70 | 6.67 |
| July | 7.02 | 6.90 | 7.00 | 6.97 |
| Pork— | | | | |
| May | 12.07 | 11.82 | 12.05 | 11.92 |
| July | 12.47 | 12.22 | 12.40 | 12.32 |

## THE COFFEE MARKET.

Coffee after opening unchanged yesterday closed net unchanged to 5 points lower. Havre was unchanged and Hamburg unchanged to ¼ pfennig lower. Rio declined another 50 reis, but Santos was unchanged and receipts were rather lighter, only 15,000 bags being reported at the two ports, against 14,000 two years ago. Jundiahy receipts were 10,000 bags, against 2,000 two years ago. It seems that the Government of Sao Paulo has passed an appropriation for the establishment of a bureau for the purpose of running a campaign of education to increase the consumption of Brazilian coffee, as it is declared that much Santos coffee is still sold under the name of Java, Mocha, or other well-known growths. Spot coffee quiet; Rio No. 7, 6⅛@6 3-16.

The range of contract prices in the local market yesterday was as follows:

| | High. | Low. | Close. | Thurs. Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| March | .... | .... | 5.80@5.85 | 5.80 |
| April | .... | .... | 5.85@5.90 | 5.85 |
| May | 5.90 | 5.90 | 5.90@5.95 | 5.90 |
| June | 5.95 | 5.95 | 5.90@5.95 | 5.90 |
| July | 6.00 | 6.00 | 5.95@6.00 | 5.95 |
| August | .... | .... | 6.00@6.05 | 6.00 |
| September | 6.05 | 6.05 | 6.00@6.05 | 6.00 |
| October | .... | .... | 6.05@6.10 | 6.05 |
| November | .... | .... | 6.10@6.15 | 6.10 |
| December | 6.15 | 6.15 | 6.10@6.15 | 6.15 |
| January | .... | .... | 6.15@6.20 | 6.15 |
| February | .... | .... | 6.20@6.25 | 6.20 |

## TRADING IN BALTIMORE.

*Special to The New York Times.*

BALTIMORE, March 13.—Trading was light to-day, but with a tendency to better prices. Western Maryland stocks were in demand. Prices ranged from 2⅞ to 3. There was repeated bidding for the stocks during the afternoon, with very limited offerings. Shares, 1,621; bonds, $41,500.

BONDS.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| $1,000 | A. C. L. of C. 5-20s | 70 | 70 | 70 |
| 5,000 | Anacostia & Pot. 5s | 98⅞ | 98⅞ | 98⅞ |
| 7,000 | Knox Traction 5s | 103¼ | 103¼ | 103¼ |
| 8,000 | Seaboard 4s | 46½ | 46 | 46 |
| 2,000 | Western Va. Cen. 6s | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| 4,000 | United Rys. 4s | 85 | 85 | 85 |
| 2,000 | United Rys. inc | 47½ | 47½ | 47½ |
| 2,500 | United Rys. fdg. 5s | 74⅞ | 74⅞ | 74⅞ |
| 4,000 | Cotton Duck 5s | 69 | 68½ | 69 |
| 1,000 | G. B. S. Brewing 4s | 41½ | 41½ | 41½ |
| 5,000 | G. B. S. Brewing inc | 17¼ | 17 | 17 |

STOCKS.

| Sales. | | High. | Low. | Last. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 186 | A. C. L. R. R. | 65 | 65 | 65 |
| 1,435 | Western Maryland | 3 | 2⅞ | 2⅞ |

## MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks to-day were as follows:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Alta | .02 | Justice | .06 |
| Alpha Con. | .02 | Kentucky Con. | .05 |
| Andes | .10 | L. Wash. Con. | .05 |
| Belcher | .14 | Mexican | .86 |
| Best & Belcher | .60 | Occidental Con. | .16 |
| Bullion | .09 | Ophir | 2.15 |
| Caledonia | .16 | Overman | .06 |
| Challenge Con. | .11 | Potosi | .08 |
| Chollar | .07 | Savage | .40 |
| Confidence | .55 | Sag Belcher | .03 |
| Con. Cal. & Va. | .56 | Sierra Nevada | .36 |
| Con. Imperial | .02 | Standard | 1.00 |
| Crown Point | .23 | Union Con. | .44 |
| Gould & Curry | .11 | Utah Con. | .02 |
| Hale & Norcross | .33 | Yellow Jacket | .05 |
| Julia | .09 | | |

Silver bars, 55⅞; Mexican dollars, 52@54; drafts, sight, 1½@2½; telegraph, 4@5.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| TONOPAH. | | Goldfield C. Mines | 5.20 |
| Belmont | 1.25 | Jumbo Extension | .41 |
| Golden Anchor | .03 | Kendall | .14 |
| Jim Butler | .31 | Lone Star | .10 |
| McNamara | .39 | May Queen | .07 |
| Midway | .60 | Red Hills | .28 |
| Montana | 1.65 | Sandstorm | .27 |
| Ohio | .02 | St. Ives | .36 |
| Tonopah Ext. | .90 | Silver Pick | .25 |
| West End | .25 | BULLFROG. | |
| GOLDFIELD. | | Bullfrog Mining | .07 |
| Adams | .05 | Bullf. Nat. Bank | .11 |
| Atlanta | .27 | Gold Bar | .27 |
| Bluebell | .09 | Homestake King | .36 |
| Comb. Fraction | .75 | Montgomery Mt. | .08 |
| Crackerjack | .08 | Original Bullfrog | .02 |
| Daisy | 1.37 | Tramps Cons. | .18 |
| Diamondfield | .18 | | |

### Columbia Trust Co. to Move.

The Columbia Trust Company, now at the southeast corner of Nassau and Cedar Streets, has practically concluded negotiations for a lease of the ground-floor banking room in the building 135 Broadway, northwest corner of Cedar Street, formerly occupied by the Trust Company of America.

## DIVIDENDS.

### The Western Union Telegraph Company

NEW YORK, March 11, 1908.

The Board of Directors have ordered that in lieu of the usual cash dividend for the quarter ending March 31st, 1908, a stock dividend equal to ONE AND ONE-QUARTER PER CENT. of the stock held by each stockholder at the close of the transfer books on March 20th, instant, be issued to such stockholders on and after April 15th, 1908. For the purpose of such dividend the transfer books will be closed at three o'clock on the afternoon of the 20th day of March, instant, and be reopened on the morning of the 1st day of April, 1908.

A. R. BREWER, Secretary.

**NORTH STAR MINES COMPANY,**

18 Wall Street.

New York, March 13th, 1908.

DIVIDEND NO. 15.

A dividend of two and one-half per cent. on the capital stock of the North Star Mines Company has this day been declared, payable March 27, to stockholders of record March 18th.

W. D. PAGAN, Secretary.

**Metropolitan Trust Company of the City of New York.**

DIVIDEND NO. 45.

A QUARTERLY DIVIDEND OF SIX PER CENT. for the quarter ending March 31st, 1908, has been this day declared, payable on April 1st, 1908. The transfer books will be closed at 3 P. M. on March 20th, 1908, and reopened at 10 A. M. on April 2d, 1908.

Dated New York, March 13th, 1908.

BERTRAM CRUGER, Treasurer.

**CUMBERLAND TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO.**

Nashville, Tenn., March 12, 1908.

Regular quarterly dividend, being Number 98, of One and Three-Quarters Per Cent., was this day declared, payable April 1st to stockholders of record March 20th. Stock books closed from the close of business March 19th and reopened morning of April 2d.

T. D. WEBB, Treasurer.

**AMERICAN CAN COMPANY.**

A quarterly dividend of One and One-quarter Per Cent. (1¼%) has been declared upon the Preferred Stock of this Company, payable on April 1st, 1908, to stockholders of record at the close of business March 18th, 1908. The Preferred Stock transfer books will remain open. Checks will be mailed.

R. H. ISMON, Secretary.

Dated New York, March 3d, 1908.

**Office of THE UNITED GAS IMPROVEMENT COMPANY, N. W. Cor. Broad & Arch Streets.**

Philadelphia, Penn., March 11, 1908.

The Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of Two Per Cent., (One Dollar per share,) payable April 15, 1908, to stockholders of record at the close of business March 31, 1908. Checks will be mailed.

LEWIS LILLIE, Treasurer.

## THE EUROPEAN MARKETS.

### Happenings of a Day in London, Paris, and Berlin.

LONDON, March 13.—Money commanded fairly stiff rates on the market to-day. Discounts were easy.

On the Stock Exchange the new loans continued to overshadow the gilt-edged section of the market. The latest announcement of a loan of £2,000,000 of Grand Trunk Pacific bonds brings the total of prospective issues to nearly £12,000,000, and makes business in existing securities difficult. Home rails attracted a fair amount of attention, but prices on the British and foreign sections generally were irregular.

American securities started steadily. Bear covering in the forenoon kept values above parity, but early in the afternoon Continental selling caused a decline of half a point, and later New York sent an irregular opening and turned a fair buyer. This late trade caused a firm close.

Bar silver steady at 25⅜d. per ounce. Money 3¼@3½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3⅛@3¼ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 3@3⅛ per cent.

PARIS, March 13.—Prices on the Bourse to-day were weaker, owing to realizations. The private rate of discount was 2½ per cent., an advance of ⅛.

Three per cent. rentes 97 francs 62½ centimes for the account.

Exchange on London 25 francs 18½ centimes for checks.

BERLIN, March 13.—Trading on the Boerse to-day was inactive. American securities were quoted lower.

## FOREIGN PUBLIC SECURITIES.

Following are yesterday's quotations for several European State and municipal securities:

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| German consol 3½s | 91¾ | 92¾ |
| German consol 3s | 82 | 83 |
| Bavarian Government 4s | 100½ | 101½ |
| Mexican Government 3½s | 91¼ | 92¼ |
| Saxony Government 3s | 81½ | 82½ |
| Hamburg Government 3s | 81 | 82 |
| City of Cologne 4s | 100 | 101 |
| City of Munich 4s | 100 | 101 |
| City of Augsburg 4s | 100 | 101 |
| City of Frankfor-on-Main 3½s | 91 | 92 |
| Mexican Government gold 5s | 100½ | 101½ |
| Russian Government 4s | 82¼ | 83¼ |
| French rente 3s | 96½ | 97½ |
| British consol 2½s | 86¾ | 87¾ |

## LONDON CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

The following were the closing prices in London yesterday for American stocks, comparisons being made between the New York equivalent and the previous New York closing:

| | London. | N. Y. Equiv. | N. Y. Close | Net Ch'ge. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Consols, money | 87 1-16 | .. | .. | — ⅛ |
| Consols, account | 87¼ | .. | .. | — ⅛ |
| Anaconda | 6⅞ | 33⅜ | 33¾ | — ⅛ |
| Atchison | 73⅜ | 71½ | 71⅜ | — ⅛ |
| Can. Pacific | 148⅛ | 144⅛ | 145½ | — 1⅜ |
| St. Paul | 120 | 116¾ | 116⅞ | — ⅛ |
| Erie | 14¼ | 14¼ | 14¼ | .. |
| Erie 1st pf | 28½ | 27⅞ | 28¼ | — ½ |
| Ill. Central | 130½ | 127⅛ | .. | .. |
| Louis. & Nash | 97½ | 95 | 96 | — 1 |
| N. Y. Central | 101 | 98⅜ | 98⅜ | — ⅜ |
| Pennsylvania | 60¼ | 117⅜ | 117¼ | + ½ |
| Reading | 53½ | 104⅛ | 103⅞ | + ½ |
| So. Pacific | 73½ ex | 73⅛ | 73¼ | — ⅜ |
| Union Pacific | 126⅛ | 122⅛ | 123 | — ⅛ |
| U. S. Steel | 33 ex | 32⅜ | 32⅞ | — ¼ |
| U. S. Steel pf | 98¼ | 95⅝ | 95⅞ | — ⅛ |

## FINANCIAL NOTES.

M. W. Lipper has been elected to membership in the Cotton Exchange.

A New York Cotton Exchange seat sold yesterday for $8,000, an advance of $300 over the price paid for the last seat.

Joseph T. Wilcox has been elected, in place of W. H. McAlister, Secretary of the American Tobacco Company. He began his career with the Kenney Tobacco Company.

Application has been made to the Stock Exchange to list $2,576,000 additional Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha consolidated bonds, due 1930; $1,025,000 additional Michigan State Telephone 5s, due 1924, and $383,000 additional Central Leather preferred stock.

TO HOLDERS OF

## Western Maryland R.R. Co.

### Geneal Lien and Convertible 4% Bonds:

In view of the necessity for prompt action and effective co-operation in applications about to be made to the court it is important that all bondholders desiring to suport this committee in its purpose to safeguard the interests of the convertible bondholders in every way, including the protection of all first mortgage requirements, **should deposit their bonds at once** with **THE EQUITABLE TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK** or the CITY TRUST COMPANY OF BOSTON.

**The committee already controls over 40 per cent. of the total issue of the above bonds and is assured of early deposit of a majority of the issue.**

All bonds must be deposited **on or before March 25th,** 1908, after which date bonds will be received only on such terms and conditions as the committee may determine.

Application will be made to the New York Stock Exchange to admit Deposit Certificates to quotation.

March 13, 1908.

ALVIN W. KRECH, Chairman;
MYRON T. HERRICK,
HENRY S. REDMOND,
GEO. P. BUTLER,
WINSLOW S. PIERCE,
FREDERICK T. GATES,
HENRY E. COOPER,
Committee.

HENRY E. COOPER, Secretary, No. 26 Broadway, New York City.

## Better Than Lots.

REAL ESTATE COMPANIES MAKE MONEY.

Most people believe that those who bought lots on the Reynolds, the Wood, Harmon & Co., the McLaughlin, the Rickert-Finlay, the McCormack, or almost any of the other properties in Greater New York have done a good thing for themselves—but did you ever see any one have the slightest possible doubt that Messrs. Reynolds, Wood, Harmon & Co., McLaughlin, Rickert-Finlay, &c., &c., have done a considerably better thing for themselves out of selling their plots in lots to the small buyers?

Here is an opportunity that lets you in on an operation, not on a deferred dividend investment.

If you buy $100 shares in QUEENS ESTATES you are in with the operators on the sale of a plot capitalized on the wholesale prices of two years ago; you are a little Reynolds, or Wood, Harmon & Co., or McLaughlin, at once.

QUEENS ESTATES will be only 17 minutes from Herald Square on the completion of the Pennsylvania tunnels, the tubes of which have already met under the East River, and it is already only 50 minutes from Wall Street. Your money will be used for improvement and selling expenses; we begin to sell lots very shortly.

Call or write for full particulars.

## QUEENS ESTATES.

### Capital $650,000.

Flatiron Building,
New York City.

**R. TURNBULL,**
Chairman Board of Directors.

## INTERNATIONAL AND GREAT NORTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY

SECOND MORTGAGE BONDS.

Default having been made in the payment of the interest due March 1, 1908, at the request of holders of a large amount of the above bonds, the undersigned have agreed to act as a Protective Committee, and invite deposits of the bonds with **THE FARMERS' LOAN AND TRUST COMPANY,** No. 22 William Street, New York, subject to a Bondholders' Agreement on file with the Depositary.

March 2, 1908.

MARK T. COX,
EDGAR L. MARSTON,
JOHN W. HAMER,
Committee.
STRONG & CADWALADER, Counsel.

## DISSOLUTION NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE copartnership hitherto existing between the undersigned under the firm name of W. BURLAND & COMPANY was this day dissolved by mutual consent. W. BURLAND will continue the same business under the same firm name, to wit, W. BURLAND & COMPANY, and all moneys owing to the prior firm of W. BURLAND & COMPANY are to be paid to him, and all debts owed by the said firm of W. BURLAND & COMPANY should be presented to him.

Dated New York, March 11th, 1908.

W. BURLAND,
M. GOLDSTEIN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE copartnership heretofore existing under the name of RICHMAN & BIALOS has been dissolved by mutual consent; Mr. RICHMAN will continue alone, and will assume all liabilities.

Dated New York, March 6th, 1908.

A. BIALOS,
S. RICHMAN.

# $8,000,000

# UNITED STATES RUBBER COMPANY

## Collateral Funding Five Per Cent. Gold Notes

### Due September 15, 1909.

Coupon Notes in denomination of $5,000 each.
Redeemable at par on any interest payment date.
Interest payable March 15 and September 15.

These Notes are issued to refund a like amount of notes maturing March 15, 1908, and are secured by the deposit with the Trustee of notes of the subsidiary companies aggregating $12,000,000. The Trust Agreement provides that the United States Rubber Company shall not create any mortgage debt while these notes remain outstanding and that the net cash assets shall at no time be of less value than $15,000,000 over and above all indebtedness, except the Funding Notes.

The Treasurer of the Company states that "as of December 31, 1907, the net cash assets of the United States Rubber and subsidiary companies, including its proportion of the net cash assets of the Rubber Goods Manufacturing Company, were **$24,296,000,** over all liabilities, other than the Funding Notes.

"The net earnings of the United States Rubber Company for the year ending March 31, 1907, over all interest charges were **$4,590,382,** including only **$689,308** of the Rubber Goods Manufacturing Company's profits of **$2,004,484.** For the nine months ending December 31, 1907, the net earnings of the United States Rubber Company and its proportion of the net earnings of the Rubber Goods Manufacturing Company were over **$4,000,000,** after the payment of all interest charges."

**WE OFFER THE ABOVE NOTES FOR SUBSCRIPTION AT 97¼ AND INTEREST, TO YIELD 7% ON THE INVESTMENT. SO FAR AS POSSIBLE HOLDERS OF THE OUTSTANDING FUNDING NOTES MATURING MARCH 15 WILL BE GIVEN THE PREFERENTIAL OPPORTUNITY OF SUBSCRIBING TO THE NEW NOTES.**

**BLAIR & CO.**
24 Broad Street, New York.

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**
2 Wall Street, New York

**KIDDER, PEABODY & CO.**
115 Devonshire Street, Boston, Mass.

ANDREW J. McCORMACK, Auctioneer.
REGULAR AUCTION SALE OF

## STOCKS AND BONDS

### By ADRIAN H. MULLER & SON

OFFICE NO. 55 WILLIAM ST.,
**Wednesday, March 18th, 1908**
at 12:30 o'clock, at the
EXCHANGE SALESROOM,
**NOS. 14 AND 16 VESEY STREET.**

BY ORDER OF EXECUTORS.

$10,000 Simpson Securities Co. Coll Trust 6 p. c. Bonds, 1929.
100 shs. Simpson Securities Co.
100 shs. Union Typewriter Co. 2d pfd.

BY ORDER OF RECEIVER.

70 shs. First Natl. Bank of Brooklyn, assessment of $55 per share, payable on or before May 1st, 1908.
32 shs. Sea Cliff Bank.
78 shs. Dominion Park Co., Limited.
$45,000 Colorado Fuel & Iron Co. Consld. 5 p. c. 10-year Gold Deb. Bds., 1911.
$20,000 American Ice Co. 5 p. c. Skg. Fund Coll. Trust Bds., 1922.
$10,000 Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton R. R. 4½ p. c. Notes, 1932, Central Trust Co. Receipts.
$10,000 Dominion Park Co., Limited, 1st Mtge. 6 p. c. Bds., 1921.
$3,300 Dominion Park Co., Limited, 6 p. c. Deb. Bds., 1916, Series B.

BY ORDER OF TRUSTEES.

10 shs. Otis Elevator Co. pfd.
$9,000 Second Avenue R. R. 1st Consld. Mtge. 5 p. c. Bds., 1948.

FOR ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

300 shs. Texas Company.
40 shs. Lincoln Gas & Electric Light Co.
1 share Peoria Light Co. common.
5 shs. Peoria Light Co. pfd.
5 shs. Evansville Light Co. pfd.
1 sh. Evansville Light Co. common.
10 shs. American Beet Sugar Co. pfd.
$3,000 Brockville, Westport & No. Western R. R. 1st 4s, 1923.
10 shs. N. Y. Mortgage & Security Co.
10 shs. Importers & Traders' Natl. Bank.
50 shs. International Banking Corp.
326 shs. Evansville & Terre Haute R. R. com.
100 shs. New Amsterdam Natl. Bank.
$1,000 Federal Publishing Co. 6 p. c. Coll. Trust Bd., 1920.
$2,000 New York & Greenwood Lake R. R. Prior Lien 5s, 1946.
16 shs. Sharon Railway Co.
$4,000 North American Co. Coll. Trust 5 p. c. Notes, 1912.
$10,000 Rio Grande Southern R. R. Guar. 4s, 1940.
$1,000 St. Louis, Iron Mt. & Southern R. R. 5s Guar., 1931.
$25,000 Toledo, St. Louis & Western R. R. Prior Lien 3½ p. c. Bds., 1925.
25 shs. Title Insurance Co. of N. Y.
200 shs. St. Joseph & Grand Island Ry. 2d pfd.
20 shs. United States Title Guar. & Indemnity Co.
20 shs. Casualty Co. of America.
$1,000 Atlantic Av. R. R. 1st Mtge. 5s, 1909.
20 shs. South Brooklyn Sawmill Co.
40 shs. German Exchange Bank.
100 shs. Commercial Trust Co. of N. J.
100 shs. United States Leather Co. pfd.
$2,000 Mutual Union Telegraph Co. 1st 6s, 1911.
5 shs. Fairchild & Johnson Co.
10 shs. Century Realty Co.
40 shs. Woods Realty Co.
25 shs. National Copper Bank.
$1,625 United R'ways Investment Co. 5 p. c. Div. Scrip, dated Jan'y, 1907.
82 shs. Conover Building Co.
28 shs. International Elevating Co.
250 shs. Read Timber & Lumber Co., Limited.
25 shs. Broadway Trust Co. of N. Y.
$6,000 Tidewater & Western R. R. 1st 4s, 1955.
60 shs. Tidewater & Western R. R. common.
23 shs. Broadway Building Co. 6 p. c. pfd., owner of 170 Broadway, S. E. cor. Maiden Lane.
25 shs. Broadway Building Co. 6 p. c. com., owner of 170 Broadway, S. E. cor. Maiden Lane.
75 shs. National Copper Bank.
10 shs. First National Bank of B'klyn.
10 shs. Home Insurance Co.

EDWARD J. ROBERTS, Auctioneer.
AUCTION SALE OF

## STOCKS AND BONDS, Etc.

### By McVICKAR-GAILLARD REALTY CO.

OFFICE NO. 7 PINE ST.
**Monday, March 16th, 1908**
at 12:30 o'clock P. M., at the
EXCHANGE SALESROOM,
**NOS. 14 AND 16 VESEY STREET.**

FOR ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

100 shs. Mercantile National Bank of New York, $100 each.
175 shs. Mechanics & Traders' Bank of New York, $100 each.
50 shs. Knickerbocker Ice Company, Preferred.
100 shs. Western Ice Company, Common.
207 shs. Mercantile National Bank of New York, $100 each.
100 shs. Mechanics & Traders' Bank of New York, $25 each.
95 shs. Knickerbocker Ice Company, Preferred.

## E. HEINEMANN

20 BROAD ST., N. Y.
Telephone 2483 Rector.

I WILL BUY

**50 BORDENS COND. MILK PFD. at 105**

I WILL SELL

**50 BORDENS COND. PFD. at 106**

## MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

**Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway Co.**

NOTICE.

Parsons, Kansas, February 28, 1908.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway Company, for the election of Directors, in conformity with Chapter 197, Laws of Kansas, 1895, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting, will be held at the General Office of the Company, in the City of Parsons, Kansas, on Thursday, the 9th day of April, 1908, at 10:00 o'clock A. M.

Stock transfer books will be closed from and after the afternoon of March 10th and until the morning of April 10th next, New York Office, 49 Wall Street.

ADRIAN H. JOLINE, President.
C. N. WHITEHEAD, Secretary.

A MEETING OF THE LOT OWNERS OF THE Greenwood Cemetery will be held at its office, No. 170 Broadway, New York, on Wednesday, March 18, at 12 o'clock noon to receive the annual report of the trustees.

T. HOOD MUIR, Secretary.

TO HOLDERS OF

## EASTERN RAILWAY COMPANY

### of Minnesota's First Mortgage 5% Bonds

MATURING APRIL 1, 1908:

These bonds will be redeemed, on and after April 1, 1908, on presentation at the office of the Great Northern Railway Company, 32 Nassau Street, New York, or at the office of Messrs. Lee, Higginson & Co., 44 State Street, Boston, Mass., or, at the option of their holders, may be exchanged for the Northern Division First Mortgage 4% bonds of the Eastern Railway Company of Minnesota.

On such exchanges a payment of $20 per $1,000 bond will be made.

The right is reserved to withdraw this privilege of exchange after APRIL 15TH, 1908.

Particulars regarding the Northern Division bonds may be obtained upon application to Messrs. Lee, Higginson & Co., or to the undersigned.

**GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY,**
32 NASSAU ST., NEW YORK.
New York, March 12th, 1908.

## KNICKERBOCKER TRUST

CLAIMS BOUGHT AND SOLD.

**J. G. BISHOP**
20 BROAD STREET, NEW YORK.

## PUBLIC NOTICES.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SUPREME COURT—Ninth Judicial District—Westchester County.—In the matter of the application of The City of New York to acquire certain lands at Mount Kisco, Westchester County, under the charter of New York City, and Chapter 428 of the Laws of 1907.

Public notice is hereby given that it is the intention of The City of New York, through its Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, to acquire certain real estate at Mount Kisco, Westchester County, New York, for the purpose of maintaining, preserving, and protecting from pollution the water supply of The City of New York, and for the purpose of enabling The City of New York, by its Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, to acquire such real estate in and about the Village of Mount Kisco as may be necessary in order to carry into effect any agreed plan for the caring for the sewage of the Village of Mount Kisco, and to protect the Water Supply of The City of New York, pursuant to Chapter 428 of the Laws of 1907.

Further notice is given that a map of lands proposed to be taken for the above-mentioned purpose has been prepared by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and has been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York. A copy of the map so prepared, with the certificate of the adoption thereof, signed by the Mayor of The City of New York and the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas, and Electricity, has been filed in the office of said Commissioner, and is open to public inspection at his office, No. 13-21 Park Row, in The City of New York. A copy is also on file in the office of the Village Clerk of the Village of Mount Kisco.

Further notice is given that prior to the final adoption of such map a public hearing will be given by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in order to afford all persons interested a full opportunity to be heard respecting such map and the acquisition of the real estate shown thereon. Such public hearing will be held at Room No. 16 in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 10th day of April, 1908, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

Dated March 11, 1908.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
By JOSEPH HAAG,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT, SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.—In the matter of the Application of the City of New York to acquire certain real estate in the Towns of Lewisboro, Poundridge, and Bedford, Westchester County, New York, under Chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 and the laws amendatory thereof, for the purpose of a dam and reservoir on Cross River, and for the purpose of supplying the City of New York with an increased supply of pure and wholesome water.

CROSS RIVER DAM AND RESERVOIR, FIRST DIVISION.

NOTICE OF FILING AND OF MOTION TO CONFIRM EIGHTH SEPARATE REPORT.

Public notice is hereby given that the Eighth Separate Report of Daniel F. Cohalan, John F. Brennan, and Benoni Platt, Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, in said county, on November 15th, 1907.

Notice is further given that said Eighth Separate Report includes and affects the parcels of land designated as Parcels Nos. 27, 27½, 29½, 32, and 40½ in said proceeding.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in and for the Ninth Judicial District, at the Chambers of Mr. Justice Martin J. Keogh, in the City of New Rochelle, Westchester County, New York, on the twenty-eighth day of March, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming said report and for such other and further relief as may be just.

Dated New York, February 21, 1908.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,
Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

## PROPOSALS.

WEST POINT, N. Y., MARCH 14, 1908.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, subject to the usual conditions, for furnishing fuel during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1909, and forage during the quarter ending September 30, 1908, will be received here until 12 M. April 15, 1908; such fuel being required for one year and the forage for 3 months. Information furnished upon application. U. S. reserves the right to reject or accept any or all bids or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for Fuel and Forage," addressed Q. M., U. S. A.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, ROOM F-7, ARMY Building, New York, N. Y., March 14, 1908.—Sealed proposals for removal of Pot Rock, Frying Pan Reef and Middle Reef at Hell Gate, East River, N. Y., will be received at this office until 12 M. April 28, 1908, and then publicly opened. Information on application.

JOHN G. D. KNIGHT, Col., Engineers.

TO HOLDERS OF THE

# $6,000,000

## TWO-YEAR FOUR AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. COLLATERAL TRUST GOLD NOTES

of the

## CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND & PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY,

Maturing April 1, 1908.

This Company has arranged with Messrs. Speyer & Co. for the extension of this issue of Notes until April 1, 1909, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, subject to redemption at the option of the Company at any time on sixty days' notice by publication.

These notes will be secured by the deposit of $9,000,000 Rock Island, Arkansas and Louisiana R. R. Co. First Mortgage 4% Bonds, being the entire amount outstanding a first lien on 308 miles of road and equipment.

Holders of Notes who desire to avail themselves of the privilege of extending their Notes must present same (ex-coupon due April 1st) at the offices of **MESSRS. SPEYER & CO.,** 24-26 Pine Street, New York, on or before March 23d, 1908, to be appropriately stamped and to have affixed thereto new coupon sheets covering such extension period.

A cash payment of $5 in respect of each $1,000 note extended will be made to the holders accepting this extension.

This Company has arranged with Messrs. Speyer & Co. that the holders of Notes who do not themselves desire to avail of the privilege of extension will receive par for their Notes upon delivery of same on or after April 1st, 1908, to said bankers.

Copies of the Extension Agreement, stating the terms of the extension, the security and other details, may be obtained at the Company's office or from said bankers.

New York, March 7th, 1908.

THE CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND & PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY,
By GEO. T. BOGGS, Ass't Treas.

Referring to the foregoing notice, we are now prepared to accept deposit of the Notes for extension and will on behalf of The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Company make the above-mentioned cash payment of $5 in respect of each $1,000 Note so extended simultaneously with the delivery of the Notes appropriately stamped.

Notes extended under these terms will, if held to maturity, yield 6½% per annum on the investment.

**SPEYER & CO.**

New York, March 7th, 1908.

WE OFFER

# NEW YORK STATE

Tax Exempt

## 50 Year 4% Gold Bonds

| | |
|---|---|
| **Assessed Valuation** | **$8,665,379,394** |
| **Bonded Debt** | **21,230,660** |
| **Sinking Fund** | **9,573,055** |
| **Net Debt (⅛ of 1%)** | **$11,657,605** |

PRICE ON APPLICATION

120 Broadway, New York **KOUNTZE BROS.**

## PUBLIC NOTICES.

The City of New York, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Main Office, Borough of Manhattan, Hall of Records, January 10, 1908.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, as required by the Greater New York Charter, that the books called "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond," comprising The City of New York, will be open for public inspection, examination and correction on the second Monday of January, and will remain open up to and including the 31st day of March, 1908.

During the time that the books are open for public inspection, application may be made by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation of real or personal estate to have the same corrected.

In the Borough of Manhattan, at the main office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Hall of Records, No. 31 Chambers street.

In the Borough of The Bronx, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

In the Borough of Brooklyn, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building.

In the Borough of Queens, at the office of the Department, Hackett Building, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City.

In the Borough of Richmond, at the office of the Department, Borough Hall, New Brighton, Staten Island.

Corporations in all the boroughs must make application only at the main office in the Borough of Manhattan.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of personal estate must be made by the person assessed at the office of the Department in the borough where such person resides, and in case of a non-resident carrying on business in The City of New York at the office of the Department of the borough where such place of business is located, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., except on Saturday, when all applications must be made between 10 A. M. and 12 noon.

LAWSON PURDY,
President;
FRANK RAYMOND,
NICHOLAS MULLER,
JAMES H. TULLY,
CHAS. PUTZEL,
THOMAS L. HAMILTON,
HUGH HASTINGS,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF New York, No. 300 Mulberry Street, Borough of Manhattan.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of the City of New York at the Bookkeeper's Office, Central Department, until 10 o'clock A. M. on

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25, 1908.**

For furnishing and delivering 800 tons (of 2,240 pounds each) of anthracite coal for use in the Borough of Queens.

For full particulars see City Record.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,
Police Commissioner.

Dated March 13, 1908.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Park Commissioner at the above office of the Department of Parks until 12 o'clock M. on

**FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 1908.**

For the privilege of maintaining a stand in Pelham Bay Park, near Bartow Station, for the purpose of a public shelter shed and selling refreshments (spirituous liquors excepted) for the term of one year.

For full particulars see City Record.

JOSEPH I. BERRY,
Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE ADVERTISEMENT in the City Record of March 13 to 27, 1908, of the confirmation by the Board of Revision of Assessments, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS: 1ST WARD. FIRST AVENUE—SEWER, between Broadway and Graham Avenue. WOOLSEY STREET—SEWER, from Franklin Street to Hoyt Avenue.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, March 12, 1908.

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23D WARD, SECTION 10. DAWSON STREET—PAVING AND CURBING, from Longwood to Intervale Avenues. 24TH WARD, SECTION 11. EAST 179TH STREET—SEWER, between Arthur and Hughes Avenues.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, March 12, 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NO. 148 East Twentieth Street, Borough of Manhattan, the City of New York.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office until 11 o'clock A. M. on

**TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 1908,**
**Borough of Manhattan.**

For furnishing and delivering hardware, paints, iron, steam fittings, lumber, and miscellaneous articles.

For full particulars see City Record.

JOHN V. COGGEY,
Commissioner.

Dated March 11, 1908.

## PUBLIC NOTICES.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated in the counties of Kings and Queens, in the State of New York, beginning at Hemlock street at its intersection with the south line of the conduit property of The City of New York, duly selected for the purpose of maintaining, preserving and increasing the supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE report of David F. Manning, William W. Gillen and Montgomery Hare, the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed herein, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 15th day of February, 1908, and that the said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court at a Special Term thereof for motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 6th day of April, 1908, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated February 17, 1908.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,
Corporation Counsel.
Borough Hall,
Brooklyn, New York.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF Street Cleaning, Room 1403, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 12 o'clock M., on

**TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 1908.**

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

No. 1. Contract for furnishing and delivering forage.

**Borough of Manhattan.**

No. 2. Contract for furnishing and delivering forage.

**Borough of The Bronx.**

No. 3. Contract for furnishing and delivering forage.

For full particulars see City Record.

FOSTER CROWELL,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated March 9, 1908.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, Arsenal Building, Fifth Avenue and Sixty-fourth Street, Borough of Manhattan, the City of New York.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock P. M. on

**THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 1908.**
**Borough of The Bronx.**

For furnishing and delivering five hundred (500) cubic yards broken stone of trap rock and one thousand (1,000) cubic yards screenings of trap rock (No. 1, 1908,) for parks, Borough of The Bronx.

For full particulars see City Record.

HENRY SMITH,
President;
JOSEPH I. BERRY,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street, Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10:30 A. M. on

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18, 1908.**
**Borough of Manhattan.**

For furnishing and delivering Twenty Thousand Feet of 3-inch Rubber Fire Hose, Five-ply.

For full particulars see City Record.

HUGH BONNER,
Fire Commissioner.

Dated March 6, 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, NOS. 13 TO 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M. on

**THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 1908,**

For furnishing and delivering pipe rails, railing posts, and fittings to the Brooklyn Bridge.

For full particulars see City Record.

JAMES W. STEVENSON,
Commissioner of Bridges.

Dated March 10, 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Sealed estimates for furnishing Anthracite and Cumberland Coal (contract 1,124) and for Towing (contract 1,125) will be received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier A, Battery Place, until 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, March 25, 1908. (For particulars see City Record.)

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Sealed estimates for furnishing Rope (Contract 1,107) and for Dredging (Contract 1,111) will be received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier A, Battery Place, until 12 o'clock (noon) Friday, March 20, 1908. (For particulars see City Record.)

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Sealed estimates for furnishing Lumber (Contract 1,108) and for furnishing Granite (Contract 1,126) will be received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier A, Battery Place, until 12 o'clock noon on Monday, March 23, 1908. (For particulars see City Record.)

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Sealed estimates for furnishing Carts, Horses, and Drivers (Contract 1,103) will be received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier A, Battery Place, until 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, March 24, 1908. (For particulars see City Record.)

# IN THE REAL ESTATE FIELD.

## Buyers for Residences East of Central Park—Lease at Nassau and John Streets—Deal for Fort Washington Avenue Corner.

Pease & Elliman have sold for J. Cooper Mott 216 East Seventy-second Street, a three-story stone front dwelling on lot 17.10 by 102.2, to a client for occupancy.

Edson Bradley is reported to have sold the four-story dwelling 802 Fifth Avenue, on lot 22.10 by 100, between Sixty-first and Sixty-second Streets.

### Purchases by Physicians.

The City Real Estate Company has sold to Dr. Dever S. Bayard 155 East Seventieth Street, a four-story stone front dwelling on lot 20 by 100.

Robert B. Roosevelt, Jr., has sold to Dr. W. N. Berkeley 114 East Seventy-eighth Street, a four-story dwelling, on lot 18 by 102.2. Mr. Roosevelt took title to it from his father, the late Robert B. Roosevelt, in April, 1906. It has recently been remodeled.

### New Dwelling on 67th Street.

Plans have been filed for the new six-story residence to be built by Samuel H. Valentine at 5 East Sixty-seventh Street. It will be of brick, with trimmings of granite and limestone, in the style of the early French Renaissance. Carrere & Hastings are the architects.

Frederick W. Fieder, Jr., is the buyer of the dwelling 54 East Seventy-ninth Street, sold recently through Douglas Robinson, Charles S. Brown & Co.

### Nassau Street Site Leased.

A. & M. Jacobs have leased for the Colgate estate the four buildings at 80 Nassau Street, running through to 41 and 43 John Street, to J. Corday & Co., tailors. The dimensions of the Nassau Street buildings are 35.6 by 102, and of those on John Street 49.6 by 110. As soon as the present lease expires a new store and office building will be erected on the plot. The entire ground floor in the new structure will be occupied by Corday & Co., who are now tenants of part of the Nassau Street buildings. The lease by the Colgate estate, recorded yesterday, is for twenty-one years, at an annual rental of $20,000.

### Sale of Convent Avenue House.

William Cumming has sold 292 Convent Avenue, a three-story limestone dwelling, 20 by 55 by 100. The buyer will occupy the house.

### Builder Buys on the Heights.

John M. Thompson & Co. have sold for Francis Carlson to a builder the southwest corner of Fort Washington Avenue and 170th Street, a plot 100 by 150, with detached brick dwelling. It is understood that the property will be improved in the near future.

### West Thirty-fourth Street Transfer.

The property 11 West Thirty-fourth Street, 25 by 126.6, was transferred yesterday by Theodore J. Ackerman and others, as trustees, to Robert S. Smith for an expressed consideration of $360,000.

### St. Nicholas Avenue Flat Sold.

John Reid has sold for Axel A. Olsen 173 St. Nicholas Avenue, a five-story flat on a lot 22.9 by 107 and irregular.

Klinker & Stroh have sold for Dr. I. H. Alexander to Charles O. Renken the five-story tenement, with store, 783 Amsterdam Avenue, 25 by 80.

Peters, Clear & Co. and F. E. Barnes have sold for Francis J. Markham 222 West 130th Street, a three-story dwelling on lot 17.6 by 99.11.

James Madden is the buyer of the Saxonia apartment house, at the northwest corner of Broadway and 136th Street.

### Large Plots Sold at Inwood.

Richard Alexander and J. N. Kalley & Son have sold for the American Real Estate Company to Woodbury G. Langdon the plot of about eighteen lots fronting on the circle at the southerly end of Nichols Place, in the Inwood section.

The Realty Syndicate has sold 321 to 327 Crimmins Avenue, two five-story tenements, each 47.6 by 80, to Max Einstein, who gives in part payment a plot of fifteen lots on Emerson Street, Nichols Place, and Prescott Avenue, in the Inwood section. Title to this plot is held by Margaret A. Kilcoyne.

### To Remodel the Earlington.

Plans have been filed for remodeling and modernizing the Hotel Earlington at 49 to 55 West Twenty-seventh Street, formerly The Gerlach, and one of the first apartment hotels built in the city. An entire new plumbing and lighting plant will be installed, the interior redecorated, and a new marquise entrance erected. The improvements are to be made at a cost of $100,000 for the Seventy-second Street Company as owner.

### Estate Sells on West 23d Street.

S. B. Goodale & Son have sold for S. B. Goodale, executor of the estate of Nathan Chedsey, to William H. Silk the three-story dwelling 346 West Twenty-third Street, on lot 25 by 98.9.

The G. P. Butterly Company has leased for Mrs. Elizabeth Cook the four-story building 236 West Fifty-second Street, near Broadway, for a term of five years.

### West 125th Street Leases.

Harvey N. Bloomer has leased for Wendolin J. Nauss the store and basement in the Nauss Building, 201 West 125th Street, for a term of years to Henry Weissman; also, to Joseph C. Levy, for the United Merchants' Realty and Improvement Company, the store and basement in 199 West 125th Street for five years.

William Henry Folsom has leased for a client to Mrs. S. Gaffney the three-story dwelling 92 Lexington Avenue.

Folsom Brothers have leased for Howard Conkling the four three-story buildings, 73 East Houston Street, to M. Casey; 75 East Houston Street, to Paul Edelman; 77 East Houston Street, to A. Ribando, and 79 East Houston Street, to H. Walderman.

### Walton Avenue Dwelling Resold.

The Duross Company has sold the two-story dwelling 2,439 Walton Avenue, on lot 16.6 by 82, for Thomas J. Goodwin, who bought the property at auction last month for $4,150.

John Bullwinkel has sold the lot, 25 by 119, on the east side of Brook Avenue, 313 feet south of 167th Street.

John H. Behrmann has sold for William Garrett the two-family house on the west side of Carpenter Avenue, 137 feet north of 233d Street; also, for Col. John W. Holmes the brick two-family house, on lot 25 by 114, on the south side of 223d Street, 430 feet east of White Plains Avenue; also, for C. Albert Wingert, through Joseph F. A. O'Donnell, the frame dwelling and one lot on the west side of Park, or Willett, Avenue, 125 feet north of 216th Street.

### Van Cortlandt Terrace Deal.

The Van Cortlandt Realty Company has sold to Henry O. Kenney a plot, 55 by 108 by 127 by 56, on the south side of Fanshaw Avenue, 255 feet west of Leighton Avenue, Van Cortlandt Terrace, South Yonkers. Mr. Kenney will erect thereon a dwelling for his own occupancy.

### Sale on Jersey City Heights.

H. Hornstein has bought 215, 217, and 217½ Sip Avenue, corner of Romaine Avenue, Jersey City, N. J. The plot is 51 by 115.6. On the corner is a private house, which will be occupied by the buyer after alterations have been made.

### Brooklyn Flats Find Buyer.

Slawson & Hobbs have sold for Walter M. Jermyn 104 and 106 Kent Street, Brooklyn, two five-story flats, each 25 by 100.

### Far Rockaway Sales and Leases.

J. J. Danaher has bought, through A. C. Haynes, the Summer residence of Gilbert Kuh, on Prospect Street, Far Rockaway.

The Lewis H. May Company has leased the following cottages at Arverne, L. I., for the season of 1908: To Clara Newman, 10 North Wavecrest Avenue; to Morris Golde, 103 South Jerome Avenue; to Charles Raudnitz, 6 North Remington Avenue; to Harry Schlang, 15 North Carlton Avenue; to Charles Heilborn, 13 North Atlantic Avenue; to Benson Goodman, 10 South Carlton Avenue, and to Lewis Frazin, 17 South Carlton Avenue.

### Commissioner Purdy to Speak.

Tax Commissioner Lawson Purdy will be the chief speaker at the meeting to be held next Thursday at 8 P. M. in the Real Estate Auction Room, 14 Vesey Street, under the auspices of the Allied Real Estate Interests, to advocate the bill concerning subway construction. The purpose of the bill is to enlist private capital in the immediate construction of subways. The bill prepared by the Allied Real Estate Interests has received active support from many other local organizations this week, and it is now believed that its passage is assured if its importance can be brought promptly before the members of the Legislature.

### Results at Auction.

The only offerings yesterday in the Real Estate Salesroom, 14 and 16 Vesey Street, resulted as follows:

By Joseph P. Day.

156th St, 546 and 548 West, s s, 400 ft w of Amsterdam Av, 50x99.11, six-story apartment house; foreclosure sale, to the Dean Holding Co., $66,000.

## THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

### List of Plans Filed for New Structures in Manhattan and Bronx.

67th St, 5 East, for a five and six story brick dwelling, 25x93.8; S. H. Valentine of 44 East 57th St, owner; Carrere & Hastings, architects; cost, $60,000.

Cromwell Av, e s, 456 ft n of 170th St, for a two-story frame dwelling, 20x42; Caroline Weis of 1,060 Union Av, owner; Henry Klein, architect; cost, $3,000.

Aqueduct Av, e s, 225 and 262 ft s of 183d St, for two two-and-a-half-story frame dwellings, 24x39; William C. Bergen, owner; C. S. Clark, architect; cost, $16,000.

### Alterations.

Items involving less than $5,000 omitted.

27th St, 49 to 55 West, for a ten-story brick hotel; Seventy-second Street Company of 111 Broadway, owner; Ward & Williams, architects; cost, $100,000.

63d St, 206 East, to a four-story brick tenement; F. J. Schillinger of 340 East 69th St, owner; J. F. Mahoney, architect; cost, $8,500.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Friday, March 13.

ANDERSON AV, w s, 200 ft s of 164th St, 75x100; William G. Ver Planck to William H. Young, $100.

ANDREWS AV, e s, 464 ft n of 183d St, runs e 4.9x205.2 to avenue and n 2.1; Frederick W. Rubien to William D. Peck, $1.

BEAR SWAMP ROAD, s s, at Van Nest freight yard, contains 5,050 square feet; Arthur A. Whitcombe to Harlem River & Port Chester Railroad Co., quitclaim, $300.

BRIGGS AV, 2,657, n s, 23.4x72.5; William H. Wright & Son to G. Richard Muhlau, (mtg $4,000,) $100.

BROOME ST, n e corner of Mangin St, 50x75; E. F. Eberle to Charles Wendt, $1.

CITY ISLAND AV, e s, at s line of Scofield estate, 100x100; Merwin R. Baxter to Henry B. Nevins, (mtg $1,000,) $100.

ESSEX ST, 11, w s, 25x87.6; Jacob Levin to Abraham Halprin, ½ part, (mtg $39,000,) $100.

ELLIOTT AV, w s, 200 ft s of Elizabeth St, 50x125, Olinville; Mary T. Donovan and others to Thomas McGrath, $1.

EMERSON ST, Lots 134, 135, and 511 to 512, map of Part 3 of Dyckman estate; 210th St, Lot 9, map of Samuel Thomson, contains 2 acres; Emerson St, n w s, Lot 133, map of Part 3 of Dyckman estate, 50x221; Emerson St, w s, south part of Lot 132, map of Part 3 of Dyckman estate, 3.9x221, parts of above excepted; Simeon J. Drake and others, trustees, to Cornelius Kahlen, $100.

GREENWICH AV, s w corner of 10th St, 26.2x60.2; Martha A. Marshall to Maud I. Marshall, $1.

GERARD AV, n e corner of 168th St, 40.1x14.6; the City of New York to James A. Deering and another, $1,568.

HENRY ST, 294, 24x95; Abraham Halprin to Jacob Levin, ½ part, $100.

INTERIOR STRIP at centre line of block between 56th and 57th Sts, and 250 ft w of 6th Av, 0.5x20; Richard S. Treacy to George E. Coleman, quitclaim, $1.

JOHN ST, 85 and 87, 41.5x100.6x44.6x97.6; Seth S. Terry to James Gibson, Jr., (mtg $100,000,) $1.

LAND Harlem River & Port Chester R. R. Co., n s, 102.8 ft s w of Taylor St, runs n w 29.4x100x s e 50.11x 102.3; Annie Carney to Harlem River & Port Chester R. R. Co., $1.

LAWRENCE AV, e s, 100 ft n of Railroad Av, 25x200 to Main Av, Pelham Park; William H. Bissell to Abbott P. Brush, quitclaim, $1.

LEGGETT AV, n w corner of land of Harlem River & Port Chester Railroad Co., 23.8x117; Charles Derleth Co. to Harlem River & Port Chester Railroad Co., quitclaim, $2,320.

LOT 27, Parcel 10, map of William B. Ogden, Bronx; Antonio Bibbo to Vincent Martire, (mtg $682,) $1.

LOT begins 464 ft n of 183d St and 4.9 ft e of Andrews Av, runs e 95.3x n 42x w 104.1 to beginning; William D. Peck to Frederick W. Rubien, $1.

LOT 119, Block 4, map of Tremont Terrace; Gilbert H. Wildman to Delphis Gauvin, (mtg $900,) $100.

LOTS 47, 48, and 49, map of Kingsbridge Real Estate Co., Bailey estate, Bronx; Kingsbridge Real Estate Co. to Fordham Realty Co., $100.

MADISON AV, e s, 40.6 ft s of 124th St, 20x80; Abraham Marks to Annie Marks, $1.

MAIDEN LANE, 57, 25.7x90.4x24.10x93; James Gibson, Jr., to Seth S. Terry, (mtg $110,000,) $1.

PARK AV, e s, 100 ft s of 1st St, 250.x irregular, Olinville; Carlos P. Tucker to Edwin S. Carbot and another, (mtg $13,000,) $100.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, n e corner of 113th St, 52.7x98.7; Virginia Potter to Hugo S. Mack, $100.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, w s, 180.5 ft n of 181st St, 25.10x129.2; Bertha Hoffman and another to Ralph House, (mtg $14,000,) $1.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, w s, 206.3 ft n of 181st St, 26.3x121; Bertha Hoffman and another to Estelle E. Gehorsam, (mtg $14,000,) $1.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, w s, 232.6 ft n of 181st St, 26.8x111; Bertha Hoffman and another to Robert Jordan, (mtg $14,000,) $1.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, w s, 259.2 ft n of 181st St, 26.9x102.5; Bertha Hoffman and another to Vito Russo, (mtg $14,000,) $1.

TINTON AV, s w corner of 160th St, 145.3x120; Theodore Kieval to McKinley Realty and Construction Co., (mtg $32,500,) $100.

TILDEN AV, w s, 78.8 ft n of 216th St, 29.4x91.7x39.1x68.8; Thomas W. Murray, Jr., to Harriet L. Sonnelborn, (mtg $425,) $100.

WEBSTER AV, e s, 25 ft n of Anna Place, 50x90; Adolf Mandel to Arnold Stern, (mtg $6,500,) $100.

WASHINGTON AV, 1,115, 16x93; Mary Timble to Bertha Zelinka, (mtg $10,000,) $100.

WASHINGTON TERRACE, 11 and 17, e s, one lot 17.9x62.6 and other 19x62.6; Charles C. McMichael to Thomas J. Meehan, $1.

1ST AV, w s, 41 ft n of 54th St, 20x irregular; Charles J. Kroehle to Paul Kuhuhardt, (mtg $7,500,) $1.

2D AV, n w corner of 26th St, 99.11x100; William Klein, referee, to Sarah Meryash, (mtg $120,287,) $121,000.

5TH AV, e s, 75.8 ft s of 118th St, 25x100; William Bachrach and others to Sand Realty Co., (mtg $31,000,) $100.

18TH ST, s s, 105 ft w of 5th Av, 35x114, Wakefield; Charles A. Rosenthal to Walter J. May, $1.

27TH ST, 32 West, 33.6x98.9; Bernhard Klingenstein to Henry Leerburger, (mtg $70,000,) $100.

27TH ST, 30 and 32 West, s s, 33.6x98.9; Samuel G. Hess to Henry Leerburger, ½ part, (mtg $70,000,) $100.

34TH ST, n s, 300 ft w of 5th Av, 25x126.6; Theodore J. Ackerman and others, Trustees, to Robert S. Smith, $360,000.

42D ST, n e corner of Prospect Place, 58x17.1; Clara Glauber to Margaret T. Johnston, (mtg $17,100,) $100.

43D ST, n s, 275 ft w of 10th Av, 25x100.5; Rosa Kear to Sarah A. Kear, $1.

60TH ST, n s, 225 ft w of Amsterdam Av, 25x100.5; Victoria M. Cavagnaro and another to Cesare Bianchi, $1.

72D ST, 316 East, 16.8x102.2; Felix Hirsch to Ignatius Rice, $1.

72D ST, 316 East, 16.8x102.2; Joseph P. Morrissey to Felix Hirsch, (mtg $8,000,) $10,000.

72D ST, 318 East, s s, 16.8x102.2; Franziska Hlavac to Joseph Hlavac, Jr., (mtg $8,000,) $1.

108D ST, 63 East, 25x100.11; William Weinstock to Irving Bachrach and another, (mtg $18,000,) $100.

105TH ST, 105 West, n s, 25x100.11; Proctor Realty Operating and Improvement Co. to Jessie M. Proctor, (mtg $21,000,) $100.

110TH ST, 80 East, 21x100.11; Charles A. Person to Sand Realty Co., (mtg $9,000,) $100.

113TH ST, 20 East, s s, 18.9x100.11; Samuel Portman to Martin C. Wright, ½ part, $100.

118TH ST, n s, 231 ft w of 2d Av, 29x100.10; Joseph McEvoy to Annie Towns, (mtg $37,500,) $100.

141ST ST, Lot 36, Block 8, Map 388 of Sections A and B of North New York; Mary Daly to Ellen Drury, $100.

147TH ST, 303 and 305 West, 50x99.11; Harry M. Stoff to Hayman Stoff, (mtg $36,000,) $100.

152D ST, n s, 250 ft w of Boulevard, 50.10x99.11; Junction Realty Co. to Louis A. Mitchell, (mtg $12,500,) $1.

157TH ST, n s, Lot 220, map of Melrose, 50x100; Richard F. Magen to John T. Magen, $1.

169TH ST, n s, 152.4 ft n w of Fox St, 20.4x irregular; Amelia Harris to Anastasia Vogel, (mtg $6,000,) $100.

215TH ST, s s, 279.6 ft e of Barnes Av, 25x194; Martha A. Smith to Sarah Seymour, (mtg $500,) $100.

### Recorded Mortgages.

Interest is at 5% unless otherwise specified.

ANDERSON, Adalaine, to Herman F. C. Stein; Lot 45, map of 65 lots, Oak Tree Plot, 3 years, 6% .........$600

BUCHNER, Auguste, to Charles Buchner; 93d St, s s, 120 ft e of Madison Av; 2 lots, each 25x100.8; 2 mtgs, each $2,000; 2 prior mtgs, each $30,000, 1½ years, 6% .........$4,000

EISLER, Katharine, to Bowery Savings Bank; 2d Av, e s, 20 ft s of 65th St, 25x irregular, 5 years .........$2,000

FANELLI, Annibale, to Raffaele Auletta; Crescent Av, s s, at w s of Lot 39, 58.11x89.3, prior mtg $7,000, 2 years, 6% .........$1,000

FLOOD, Frank, to Elizabeth K. Dooling; plot 195 ft e of White Plains Road and 595 ft n of Morris Park Av, 25x95, 3 years, 6% .........$600

FORDHAM REALTY CO. to Central Mortgage Co.; Sedgwick Av, w s, 585.11 ft s of Kingsbridge Av, 37.6x111.10, due Jan. 1, 1911, 5½% .........$6,000

FORDHAM REALTY CO. to Central Mortgage Co.; Sedgwick Av, w s, 623.5 ft s of Kingsbridge Av, 37.6x108.6, due Jan. 1, 1911, 5½% .........$6,000

FREY, Joseph, to August Stegmuller; 11th Av, 504, 3 years .........$14,500

GEHORSAM, Estelle E., to Bertha Hoffman; Southern Boulevard, w s, 206.3 ft n of 181st St, 2 years, 6% .........$3,000

GELB, Isidor, to Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co.; 78th St, s s, 210 ft w of 1st Av, 20x102.2, 5 years, 5½% .........$11,000

GIBSON, James, Jr., to Seth S. Terry; John St, 85 and 87, 5 years, 6% .........$50,000

GOODMAN, Urry, to Noel B. Sanborn, trustee; Suffolk St, 93, bond .........$34,500

HALPRIN, Abraham, to Joseph Levin; Essex St, 11, prior mtg $39,000, 7 years, 6% .........$7,000

HASBROUCK, Melinda, to New York Savings Bank; Central Park West, w s, 40.4 ft s of 84th St, 20x98, bond .........$5,000

HOUSE, Ralph, to Bertha Hoffman; Southern Boulevard, w s, 180.5 ft n of 181st St, 25.10x129.2, 2 years, 6% .........$3,000

JORDAN, Robert, to Bertha Hoffman; Southern Boulevard, w s, 232.4 ft n of 181st St, 26.8x111.11, 2 years, 6% .........$3,000

KAHLIN, Cornelius, to Simeon J. Drake, trustee; Lots 134, 135, and 510 to 512, Map No. 725, part 3.0, of Dyckman Homestead; Lot 9, map of Samuel Thomson, e road leading from Kingsbridge to mansion late of Samuel Thomson; Lot 133 and e part of Lot 132, map Samuel Thomson, e road leading from Kingsbridge to mansion late of Samuel Thomson, bond .........$70,000

KIRCHACKER, Maria, to Isaac Butler; Newell Av, w s, 125 ft s of Juliana St, 25x206, 1 year, 6% .........$800

LAGANA, Rosaria, to William J. Reed; Lot 88, map of 120 lots of Daily estate, 3 years, 6% .........$2,000

LEVY, Moses, to Frances C. W. Hartley; Macdougal St, e s, 153.3 ft s of Prince St, 25x100, 5 years, 5½% .........$23,000

LITTMAN, Abraham, to Meyer Shanoff; 1st Av, e s, 51 ft s of 75th St, 25.6x88, prior mtg $14,000, 3 years, 6% .........$4,500

MARX, Magdalena, to Charles Massoth; Hughes Av, e s, 36 ft n of 181st St, 50x85.3, prior mtg $12,000, bond .........$500

MERYASH, Sarah, to Henry H. Jackson; 2d Av, n w corner of 126th St, 99.11x100, bond .........$8,602

OTTO, Lillian E. L., to Greenwich Savings Bank; Ann St, 21 and 23, 3 years .........$5,000

PLATH, Ernst F., to New York Life Insurance and Trust Co.; Park Row, 151 to 155, 5 years .........$35,000

POGGIONALE, Ciro, to Verona de Cordova; 11th St, 332 East, bond .........$23,000

RUSSO, Vito, to Bertha Hoffman; Southern Boulevard, w s, 259.2 ft n of 181st St, 26.9x102.5, 2 years, 6% .........$3,000

SCHWARZE, Julius, to Abraham Steurmann; Grant Av, n w s, 375 ft s w of Samuel St, 22x107, 3 years, 6% .........$1,250

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HUGHES AV, e s, 36 ft n of 181st St, 50x100; Standard Damp Proofing and Roofing Co. against John Marx, contractor; Magdalina Marx, owner, $105.

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WESTCHESTER AV, n s, whole front between Cauldwell and Trinity Avs, —x300; Joseph Josephson against Lebanon Hospital, owner; Isaac Schwartz, contractor, $64.

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31ST ST, 306 and 308 East; Mayer Malbin and others against Louis Gordon, David Gordon, Hyman Glick, and Samuel Allen, owners; Samuel Wollman, contractor, $688.

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PARK AV, n w corner of 97th St, 100.11x100; Barone & Faranda against Isaac Fox, owner and contractor, $1,300.

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HUGHES AV, e s, 36 ft n of 181st St; Standard Damp Proofing and Roofing Co. against Magdalina Marx and others, Feb. 3, 1908, $105.

96TH ST, 44 West; John Hankin & Brother against Louis W. Morrison and others, Dec. 3, 1907, $75.

217TH ST, n s, 207.6 ft e of Paulding Av; New York Cornice and Skylight Works against Joseph Barone, Nov. 26, 1907, $250.

HESTER ST, 44; Solomon D. Multz against M. & H. Jacobs, Jan. 30, 1907, $1,135.

CHARLTON ST, 108 and 110; Fiske & Co. against Charlton Contract Co., March 12, 1908, (by deposit,) $13.

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151ST ST, n s, 170.3 ft e of Morris Av, 37.6x117.2; Realty Operating Co. against Joseph Cohen and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, G. E. Hyatt.

18TH ST, n s, 192 ft e of 7th Av, 18x90.2x18x89.6; John H. Ives against Mathilda Baer and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, G. A. Nelson.

1ST AV, 1,326; 73d St, n s, 248 ft e of Avenue A, 100x102.2; 2d Av, s w corner of 109th St, 26.3x100; Stebbins Av, n w corner of 167th St, 85.4x34.1x irregular; Crotona Av, n w corner of 80th St, 135x66.1x irregular; David Lawton against James McGee, (action to set aside deed;) attorneys, Mulhall & Delancy.

PARK AV, 1,982; Julius Levy against Frank M. Franklin and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, M. Cooper.

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2D AV, e s, 50.8 ft s of 96th St, 25x100; Sarah W. Gilbert against Tinnie Broide and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, A. A. Silberberg.

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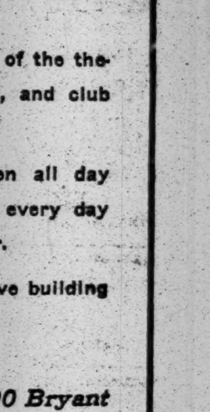

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# Church Services To-morrow

## BAPTIST.

**Amity Baptist Church,** 312 West 54th St., Rev. Leighton Williams, D. D., Pastor.—The Rev. George K. Allen, D. D., will preach 11 A. M. and 8 P M.

**Central Baptist Church,** 42d St., West of Broadway, Frank M. Goodchild, D. D., Pastor.—11 A. M., "God's Likeness"; 7:45 P. M., "Afraid of God." Everybody welcome. A homelike church.

**At Fifth Avenue Baptist Church,**
4 West 46th Street,
THE REV. CHARLES F. AKED, D. D., will preach to-morrow, (Sunday,) in the morning on "THE SEED OF A HUNDRED REVOLUTIONS—HOW MUCH, THEN, IS A MAN OF MORE VALUE THAN A SHEEP?'" Evening, "GEORGE JOHN ROMANES," illustrating the progress of a brilliant intellect from arrogant denial to a positive faith in God.
Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Sunday School, morning, at 9:30.
YOUNG MEN'S AND YOUNG WOMEN'S CLASSES.

**Madison Avenue Baptist Church,** cor. 31st St.
Rev. Cornelius Woelfkin, D. D., Minister, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
BIBLE SCHOOL, 9:45 A. M.
Everybody's Bible Class,
DR. WILBERT W. WHITE, Leader.
Subject: "Christianity Under Fire."
Strangers Cordially Invited.

**Memorial Baptist,** Washington Square.—EDWARD JUDSON, the pastor, will preach; 11 A. M., "The Eighth Commandment in New Testament Restatement," and 8 P. M., "Can the Modern Man Believe in Heaven?"

**Mount Morris Baptist Church,**
FIFTH AVE., ABOVE 126TH ST.,
Rev. J. HERMAN RANDALL, D. D., Pastor.
Public Worship at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M.
Morning: "The Salvation I Need."
Evening, 8 o'clock: "The Mission of Jesus."

**The Washington Heights Baptist Church,** Convent Av. and 145th St., Rev. Rufus P. Johnston, D. D., Pastor.—Public worship, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.; Bible School, 10 A. M. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 P. M.
Cordial welcome to all.

## CONGREGATIONAL.

**Broadway Tabernacle,**
Broadway and 56th Street.
Public Worship, 11 A. M.
The Pastor, Dr. JEFFERSON, will preach.
8 P. M.—Series of sermons on "The Character of Jesus," by the Pastor, Dr. JEFFERSON.
5 P. M., Dr. Thomson's Bible Class.

**MANHATTAN CONGREGATIONAL,**
Broadway and 76th St.
Rev. HENRY A. STIMSON, D. D., Pastor, will preach morning and evening.
Evening Theme: "Temptation—The Test."

## ETHICAL CULTURE.

**Society for Ethical Culture,** Carnegie Hall, 57th St., 7th Av., 11 A. M. Prof. CHARLES ZUEBLIN of Chicago University on "IMPERSONAL IMMORTALITY."

## EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN.

**Evangelical Lutheran Church of St. James,** Madison Av. and 73d St., Rev. Dr. Remensnyder, Pastor.—Services 11-8. Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.

**Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Advent,** Broadway, 93d, Rev. William M. Horn.—Services 11 A. M., 8 P. M. Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.

## JEWISH.

**Temple Beth-El,** 5th Av. and 76th St.—Dr. S. Schulman will preach Sunday at 11 A. M. Subject: "Judaism's Life Struggle Against the World." All are welcome.

**Temple Emanu-El,** 5th Av. and 43d St.—Sunday, 11:15 A. M., Dr. Magnes on "Purim." All welcome.

## METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

**Jane St. M. E. Church,** (Near 8th Av.) 11, Dr. Belcher; 8, Dr. Hermance. 3:45, Dr. Belcher; "H" Quartette.

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Bible School at 9:45 A. M.

**7th Av. Metropolitan Temple, 14th St.**
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11—"Hard Times and the Way Out."
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**St. Andrew's M. E. Church,**
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8 P. M.—"The Gambling Instinct."

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## PRESBYTERIAN.

**Adams Chapel, Union Theological Seminary,** 700 Park Av.—Sunday afternoon services at 4:30 o'clock. The eleventh of the series of sermons on "THE KINGDOM OF GOD—The Social Message of Christianity." Preacher, the Rev. ALBERT PARKER FITCH, B. D., of the Mount Vernon Church, Boston; subject—"THE KINGDOM OF GOD AND SOCIAL ETHICS."
All are welcome.

**Brick Church,**
Fifth Avenue and Thirty-seventh Street.
Minister: Rev. William R. Richards, D. D.
Dr. Henry Van Dyke will preach at 11 o'clock.
Dr. William Adams Brown at Vesper Service at 4.
Dr. Van Dyke will preach at EVENING SERVICE at 8. SEATS FREE.
Bible School and Classes, 9:45 A. M.
MEN'S CLASS taught by DR. FAGNANI.
Wednesday Service, 8 P. M.; Friday, 5 P. M.

**Central Presbyterian Church,**
West 57th St., between Broadway-7th Av.
Rev. WILTON MERLE SMITH, D. D., Pastor.
Dr. Smith preaches at 11 A. M.
At 8 P. M., a Stereoptical Lecture,
"The Bright Side of Darker New York."
by Rev. W. T. Elsing.
Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, Sunday morning at 9:45; Sunday School, 3 P. M. Devotional meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. All welcome.

**Church of the Puritans,** 130th St. and 5th Av., Rev. C. J. YOUNG, D. D., Pastor.—Services 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. All welcome.

**Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church,**
Fifth Avenue and 55th Street.
Rev. J. Ross Stevenson, D. D., } Ministers.
Rev. Edwin F. Hallenbeck, D. D., }
Services 11 A. M., 4 P. M., 8 P. M.
Dr. Stevenson will preach in the morning. In the afternoon Rev. Francis L. Patton, D. D., President of Princeton Theological Seminary, will deliver his fourth lecture on "The Ethical Side of Christian Doctrine." Rev. Charles Stelzle will preach in the even'g. Bible School, 9:30 A. M. Men's Bible Class, conducted by Dr. Hallenbeck, 10 A. M. Lectures by Rev. G. Campbell Morgan, D. D., from March 18 to 24, at 4 P. M. and 8 P. M.

**Fourth Presbyterian Church,**
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Rev. HENRY SLOANE COFFIN, D. D., Pastor.
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The Pastor will preach in the morning and afternoon, and Rev. CHAS. W. GILKEY at night.

**Madison Square Presbyterian Church,**
Madison Avenue and 24th Street,
Rev. C. H. Parkhurst, D. D., Pastor.
Rev. George R. Montgomery, Asst. Minister.
Sabbath services, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
The Pastor will preach morning and evening. Bible School for children and adults, 10 and 11 A. M.
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**New York Presbyterian Church,** 128th St. and 7th Av., D. J. McMillan, D. D., Pastor.—Services, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

**North Presbyterian Church,** 155th St., bet. Broadway and Amsterdam Av.—REV. JOHN R. MACKAY, Ph. D., pastor-elect, will preach 11 A. M.; subject—"Casting a Net"; 8 P. M., address by REV. GEORGE T. BERRY on the McAll Mission Work in France. Installation Service, Tuesday, 17th, 8 P. M.

**Old First Presbyterian Church,**
Fifth Avenue, Eleventh to Twelfth Street,
Rev. HOWARD DUFFIELD, D. D., Pastor.
Rev. James A. McCague, Assistant.
Services, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Rev. Henry H. Stebbins, D. D., will preach.

**Park Presbyterian Church,** 86th St., Amsterdam Av.—Preaching by pastor, Rev. Dr. Anson P. Atterbury, 11 A. M., 8 P. M.

**Rutgers Presbyterian Church,**
BROADWAY AND 73D STREET,
Rev. ROBERT MACKENZIE, D. D., Minister.
Rev. Allen W. McCurdy, Assistant Minister.
Preaching at 11 and 8 by Dr. Mackenzie.

**University Place Presbyterian Church,** Cor. of 10th St., Rev. George Alexander, D. D., Pastor.—Public worship to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. At the morning service the pastor will preach. At the evening service Rev. James Harden Smith will preach. Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock.

## PRESBYTERIAN.

**Special Sunday Evening Service**
8 P. M. March 15th,
**Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church,**
5th Av. and 55th St.
**Rev. Charles Stelzle**
will preach on "Labor's Champion."
Organ Prelude. Chorus Choir.
Mr. R. E. Mitchell, Soloist.
Strangers are cordially invited.

**West End Presbyterian Church,**
Amsterdam Av. and 105th St.
Rev. A. Edwin Keigwin, D. D., Pastor; Rev. J. Garland Hamner, Jr., Asst. Pastor. Rev. F. De Witt Talmage of Los Angeles, Cal., will preach 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

**West Presbyterian Church,**
On 42d St., between 5th and 6th Avs.,
Rev. ANTHONY H. EVANS, D. D., Pastor,
preaches at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

## PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL.

**Christ Church,** Broadway, 71st St., Rev. George A. Strong, Rector.—8, Holy Communion; 11, Morning Service and Sermon, Rector; 8 P. M., Special Service; address by Rev. Sydney N. Ussher.

**Church of the Ascension,**
FIFTH AVENUE AND TENTH STREET,
Rev. PERCY STICKNEY GRANT, Rector.
11 A. M.—Morning service and sermon, (rector.)
4 P. M.—Gounod's "De Profundis."
Rev. Walter E. Clifton Smith will preach.
8 P. M.—Mr. Alexander Irvine will speak on "Commonwealths of Bellamy and Morris."

**Church of the Incarnation,** Madison Av. and 35th St.—8 and 11 A. M., (Rector;) 4 P. M., Rector. Week days, 12:25 and 5 P. M.

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**Eglise du Saint Esprit,** 45 Est 27e Rue.—Services religieux le dimanche à 10h. ½ du matin et à 8h. du soir. Rev. A. Wittmeyer, Recteur.

**Saint Agnes' Chapel,** Trinity Parish, West 92d St., near Columbus Av., the Rev. W. T. Manning, S. T. D., Vicar.—Services at 6:45, 7:30, 9:45, 11:00, 4:00, 8:00.

**St. Bartholomew's Church,**
Madison Avenue, corner 44th Street,
The Rev. Leighton Parks, D. D., Rector.
8:30 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11 A. M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon,
Preacher, the Rector.
4 P. M.—Evening Prayer and Address.
Preacher, the Rector.

Daily Noonday Services,
12:15 to 12:45.
Organ Recitals Thursday Evenings, 8:15.

**St. Mark's,** 2d Av. and 10th St., Rev. Dr. L. W. Batten, Rector.—Services, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Strangers and visitors are cordially invited.

## REFORMED CHURCH.

**Collegiate Reformed Church, Harlem,** Rev. J. Elmendorf, D. D., Senior Pastor. **First Church,** 121st St., near 3d Av., Pastor, Rev. Benj. E. Dickhaut.—Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Preaching by the pastor. **Lenox Av. Church,** Cor. 123d St., Pastor, Rev. Edgar Tilton, Jr.—At 11 A. M. and 8 P. M., preaching by the Pastor.

**The Middle Collegiate Church,**
2d Av. and 7th St.,
Rev. JOHN G. FAGG, D. D., Minister,
will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

**The Marble Collegiate Church,**
5th Av. and 29th St.,
Rev. DAVID JAS. BURRELL, D. D., Minister,
will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Morning: "The Happy End of God's Creation."
Evening: "The Story of a Craftsman's Hand."

**The Collegiate Church of St. Nicholas,**
5th Av. and 48th St.,
Rev. DONALD SAGE MACKAY, D.D., Minister
Rev. James I. Vance, D. D.,
will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Morning: "The Creed of Gamaliel."
Evening: "The Good Shepherd."

**The West End Collegiate Church,**
West End Av. and 77th St.
Rev. HENRY EVERTSON COBB, D.D., Minister
will preach at 11 A. M.
Special Service in the interests of Hampton Institute at 8 P. M. Plantation Melodies by a chorus of thirty negro students.
Dr. Cobb's Bible Class for Men at 5 P. M.

**Hamilton Grange Church,** Convent Av. and West 149th St., Chalmers P. Dyke, Minister. —Services at 11 and 8. S. S., 9:30. Open pews.

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Madison Av. and 38th St.,
Rev. THOMAS REED BRIDGES, D. D.,
Minister.
10 A. M., Children's Service.
11 A. M., Morning Worship and Sermon.
4 P. M., Oratorio, "Samson," by Handel.
Lenten service Friday, 4 P. M.

**34th St. Reformed Church.** West of 8th Av., Rev. ROBERT W. COURTNEY, Pastor.—Services, 10:30 A. M. and 8 P. M.

## REFORMED CATHOLIC.

**Services in Christ's Mission,** 331 West 57th St.—Afternoon, 3:30. Rev. James O'Connor preaches: "St. Patrick's Religion." Protestants and Catholics invited.

## SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.

**Religious Society of Friends.**
Religious meetings, 11 A. M., at East 15th St. and Rutherfurd Place, Manhattan, and Schermerhorn St., near Boerum Place, Brooklyn.

## THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY.

Under auspices **Theosophical Society, N. Y. Branch,** lectures by **C. Jinarajadasa, B. A.,** Tuesday, 8:15 P. M., "**Why Theosophists Believe in Spiritualism and Yet Are Not Spiritualists**"; Tuesday, 8:15 P. M., "**The Law of Adjustment,**" Assembly Hall, 4th Av. and 22d St.; Thursday, 8:15 P.M., "**The Practical Use of Theosophy,**" Berkeley Lyceum, 19 West 44th St.

Under Auspices **Theosophical Society,** 244 Lenox Av.
C. E. Birdsall lectures Sunday, 11 A. M.:
"THE MISSION OF THEOSOPHY."
Carnegie (Chamber Music) Hall; Musical Programme.

**Theosophical Society,** 244 Lenox Av.—Public lectures: Sunday, 8:15 P. M., "Thou Shalt Not Steal," Dr. E. B. Guild; next Tuesday evening, "Other Bodies."

## UNITARIAN.

**All Souls', (Unitarian,) 4th Av., 20th St.**—Rev. THOMAS R. SLICER, Pastor, will preach; subject—"PROPORTION IN RELIGION." Services, 11 A. M. All cordially invited.

**Church of the Messiah,**
(Unitarian,) 34th St., cor. Park Av.
Ministers: { REV. ROBERT COLLYER, Litt. D.
REV. JOHN HAYNES HOLMES.
Services at..........11 A. M.
**Rev. John Haynes Holmes will preach.**
Subject: "DOING THE KING'S WORK."
A SERMON OF DAILY LIFE.

**AT LENOX AV. UNITARIAN CHURCH,**
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"UNITARIAN PRINCIPLES."
Rev. Merle St. Croix Wright, Minister.

## UNIVERSALIST.

**Church of the Divine Paternity,**
Central Park West and 76th St.
The Rev. Robert Collyer, D. D., will preach at 11 A. M. Subject: "Looking Toward the Sunset." At the Vesper Service, 4:30 P. M., the pastor, Rev. Frank Oliver Hall, D. D., will have as his subject: "What Shall It Profit?" The Quartet and Chorus Choir will sing selections from Gounod's "Redemption."

## OTHER SERVICES.

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**Gospel Tabernacle Church,** 44th St. and 8th Av.—Services, 10:30 A. M. and 8 P. M. Preaching by REV. P. W. PHILPOTT at both services. Special Evangelistic Services conducted by Mr. Philpott during the week, 8 P. M.

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Tuesday Evening, March 17.
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Address by
**Rev. Dr. John G. Fagg,**
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**Young Women's Christian Association,**
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All Women Cordially Invited.

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## OTHER SERVICES.

**The Bible Teachers' Training School**
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**Dr. G. Campbell Morgan**
of London,
March 18th-24th,
in the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church,
Afternoons at 4 o'clock.
Subject: "Christian Principles."
Evenings at 8 o'clock.
Subject: "Messages of the Pentateuch."
The Public Invited.

**Science of Being,** 151 West 70th St., Sunday, 4 P. M., "The Lord's Prayer," Mrs. J. Verlage.

**The New Thought Church,** Carnegie Hall, 7th Av. Entrance.—Sunday service, 11 A. M., 8 P. M. JULIA SETON SEARS, M. D., Speaker.

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## BANKRUPTCY SALES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—In the matter of DA-AN-NITE AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY, Bankrupt.

Please to take notice that the undersigned, trustee in bankruptcy of the above-named company, will sell to the highest bidder at private sale on competitive written bids the lease hereinafter described for a sum not less than one hundred per cent. of the appraised value, such bids to be sent sealed to the office of the trustee on or before March 26th, 1908, at noon, and to be opened by Hon. Nathaniel A. Prentiss, referee in bankruptcy, at his office, No. 120 Broadway, New York City, on said 26th day of March, 1908, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at which time and place all creditors and persons interested in said estate are notified to be present, and in case said lease shall not be so sold then the undersigned trustee, by Charles Shongood, United States Auctioneer, appointed by order of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, will offer for sale at public auction on the said 26th day of March, 1908, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the auction rooms of said auctioneer, 113 Leonard Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County, and State of New York, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described lease, viz.:

Lease made by Automobile Arcade, lessor, of premises 209 West 49th Street, in said Borough of Manhattan, covering garage, building, and shop of the Automobile Arcade, together with the heavy tools in said shop, expiring thirty-eight months from March 1st, 1907, at a yearly rent of thirty-five hundred ($3,500) dollars.

The lease can be seen on application to the undersigned trustee.

WILLIAM F. CARELL,
Trustee in Bankruptcy, 320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—In the matter of EVORY MANUFACTURING COMPANY, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, receiver of the above-named Evory Manufacturing Company, bankrupt, will receive sealed bids for the complete stock of the said Evory Manufacturing Company, consisting of plumbers' supplies, viz.: Brass and nickled fittings, bath tubs, closets, tanks, &c., at his office, Room 515, No. 100 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, up to twelve o'clock noon on the 14th day of March, 1908, at which time and place the said bids will be opened. The receiver reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The bids must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for ten per cent. of the amount of the bid.

The inventory may be seen and the property inspected upon application to the receiver, at his office, between the hours of 10:30 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.

Dated New York, March 4th, 1908.
EDWIN B. ROOT, Receiver.
Office Room 515, No. 100 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.
JOHN W. INGRAM, Attorney for Receiver.

## BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York. —In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of JACOB MILLER and SAMUEL WERBELOVSKY, individually and as members of the firm of Miller & Werbelovsky, and the said firm, bankrupts. —No. 10,005.

To the creditors of Jacob Miller and Samuel Werbelovsky, individually and as members of the firm of Miller & Werbelovsky, and the said firm, of the City, County, and State of New York, and district aforesaid, bankrupts:

Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of September, A. D. 1907, the said Jacob Miller and Samuel Werbelovsky, individually and as members of the firm of Miller & Werbelovsky, and the said firm, were duly adjudicated bankrupts, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, No. 2 Rector Street, in the City, County, and State of New York, on the twenty-sixth day of March, 1908, at twelve o'clock noon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupts, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Dated New York, March 9th, 1908.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York. —In Bankruptcy.—ROSS LUMBER COMPANY, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that the Ross Lumber Company, bankrupt, has filed its petition, verified February 20th, 1908, praying that the composition heretofore offered by it to its creditors and accepted in writing by a majority in number of all creditors, whose claims have been allowed, which number represents a majority in amount of such claims, may be confirmed by the court, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, March 23d, 1908, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

NATHANIEL A. PRENTISS,
March 13th, 1908. Referee in Bankruptcy.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York. —In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of ESTHER L. GUNTER, Bankrupt.—No. 10,682.

To the creditors of Esther L. Gunter of the City, County, and State of New York, and district aforesaid, bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of February, A. D. 1908, the said Esther L. Gunter was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of her creditors will be held at my office, No. 71 Broadway, City and County of New York, N. Y., on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1908, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

STANLEY W. DEXTER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Dated New York, March 12th, 1908.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.— In the matter of JOSEPH M. FELDMAN, Bankrupt.—No. 10,076.

To the creditors of Joseph M. Feldman of the City, County, and State of New York, and district aforesaid, bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of September, A. D. 1907, the said Joseph M. Feldman was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, No. 2 Rector Street, in the City, County, and State of New York, on the twenty-sixth day of March, A. D. 1908, at 11:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Dated New York, March 10th, 1908.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.— In the matter of THOMSON PIE BAKING COMPANY, Bankrupt.—No. 10,596.

To the creditors of Thompson Pie Baking Company of the City, County, and State of New York, and district aforesaid, bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1908, the said Thomson Pie Baking Company was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, No. 2 Rector Street, in the City, County, and State of New York, on the twenty-sixth day of March, A. D. 1908, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Dated New York, March 9th, 1908.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR the Southern District of New York.—ISRAEL SCHULZ, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that Israel Schulz, bankrupt, has filed his petition, dated February 21st, 1908, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, March 23d, 1908, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

NATHANIEL A. PRENTISS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
New York, March 13th, 1908.

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NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK County.—WILLIAM PRAGER, Plaintiff, against SAMUEL VAN BENSCHOTEN et al., Defendants.

In pursuance of an interlocutory judgment of partition and sale in the above-entitled action, duly made and entered therein, bearing date the 12th day of November, 1907, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 13th day of November, 1907, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction at the Exchange Salesroom, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 12th day of March, 1908, at twelve o'clock of that day, by Joseph P. Day, Auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, with the building and improvements thereon erected, situate in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the northeasterly corner of First Avenue and Houston Street, which parcel of land is bounded westerly in front by said First Avenue; southerly by Houston Street; northerly by land now or formerly belonging to Isaac A. Storm, and easterly by land now or formerly belonging to Cornelius Du Bois, which said lot of land contains in front on First Avenue twenty-five (25) feet two (2) inches; in the rear on land now or formerly of Cornelius Du Bois twenty-five (25) feet four (4) inches; southerly by Houston Street ninety-two (92) feet, and northerly on the other side by land now or formerly of Isaac A. Storm eighty-eight (88) feet five (5) inches, be said dimensions more or less.

Being the same premises which were conveyed by William C. Cox, referee, to Lemuel Pittman, Cornelius Van Benschoten, Samuel Van Benschoten, and Henry H. Johnson, by referee's deed, dated February 25, 1887, and recorded April 8, 1887, in the office of the Register of the County of New York in Liber 2,047 of Conveyances, Page 80.

Dated New York, February 18, 1908.
HUGH R. GARDEN, Referee.
BOWERS & SANDS, Attorneys for Plaintiff, office and Post Office address 31 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York, N. Y.
HON. THOMAS W. PITTMAN, Defendant in person, and attorney for Defendant, Josephine Pittman Hamilton.
WILLIAM H. VAN BENSCHOTEN, Esq., Attorney for Defendant American Mortgage Company.
J. HOMER HILDRETH, Esq., Attorney for Defendants, Executors of Cornelius Van Benschoten, deceased.
STARK B. FERRISS, Esq., Attorney for Defendant Marie Louise Hollerith.
EDWIN L. FORD, Esq., Attorney for Defendants Samuel Van Benschoten et al.
HON. WILLIAM S. JACKSON, Attorney General, &c.

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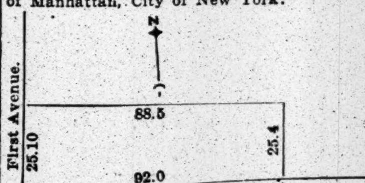

The approximate amount of the taxes, assessments, and water rates, or other liens to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the Referee, is four thousand one hundred and fifty-seven and 44-100 dollars, ($4,157.44,) which amount may, however, have been apportioned and paid as to some of the undivided shares of said premises.

Said premises are sold subject to the tenancies of the present tenants.

Dated New York, February 18, 1908.
HUGH R. GARDEN, Referee.

The foregoing sale is hereby adjourned to Thursday, March 26th, 1908, at the same hour and place.

Dated New York, March 12th, 1908.
HUGH R. GARDEN, Referee.

## BANKRUPTCY AUCTION SALES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHern District of New York.—In the matter of HALCYON PUBLISHING COMPANY, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that Taylor More, the receiver of the estate of the above-named bankrupt, will sell at public auction at No. 22 Thames Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday, March 18th, 1908, all of the machinery, pressroom equipment, (including 1 Optimus and 4 Chandler & Price printing presses, 2 paper cutters, 1 three horse power General Electric motor, shafting and belting,) composing room equipment, furniture and fixtures, together with office furniture and fixtures, comprising the entire equipment of said bankrupt.

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EDWIN M. OTTERBOURG, Attorney for Receiver, 487 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York. —In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of FREDERICK L. DION, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells this day, Saturday, March 14, 1908, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 134 West 14th St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of printing presses, type, cutting machine, forms, &c.

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MARCUS HELFAND, Attorney for Receiver, 320 Broadway, New York.

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Statendam.Mar18, 10 AM | Potsdam..Apr. 8, 10 AM
Ryndam..Mar. 31, 4 PM | Noordam.Apr. 15, 4 AM
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## SURROGATE NOTICES.

GAUNT, THOMAS.—THE PEOPLE OF THE State of New York, by the grace of God free and independent, to HENRIETTA MADELINE GAUNT, Edith Archer Platt, Amy McDonnell, Thomas Gaunt McDonnell, John Edward McDonnell, Jr., and Amy Geneva McDonnell, send greeting:

You and each of you are hereby cited and required personally to be and appear before our Surrogate of the County of New York, at the Surrogates' Court of said county, held at the Hall of Records, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of April, 1908, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to attend the judicial settlement of the account of proceedings of William Hamlin, as executor of the will of THOMAS GAUNT, deceased, and his resignation as Testamentary Trustee under said will, and his discharge as said Testamentary Trustee under said will as prayed for in the petition herein, and such of you as are hereby cited as are under the age of twenty-one years are required to appear by your guardian, if you have one, or, if you have none, to appear and apply for one to be appointed, or in the event of your neglect or failure to do so a guardian will be appointed by the Surrogate to represent and act for you in the proceeding.

[L. S.] In testimony whereof we have caused the seal of the Surrogates' Court of the said County of New York to be hereunto affixed. Witness, Hon. Charles H. Beckett, a Surrogate of our said county, at the County of New York, the 13th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eight.

DANIEL J. DOWDNEY,
Clerk of the Surrogates' Court.

VAN VOLKENBURGH, ANN S.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Charles H. Beckett, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against ANN S. VAN VOLKENBURGH, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, No. 299 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 7th day of September next.

Dated New York, the 28th day of February, 1908.

EDWARD VAN VOLKENBURGH,
PHILIP VAN VOLKENBURGH,
Executors.
NILES & JOHNSON, No. 11 Wall Street, New York City; HORNBLOWER, MILLER & POTTER, No. 24 Broad Street, New York City, Attorneys for Executors.

FARLEE, MARY E.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Abner C. Thomas, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against MARY E. FARLEE, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber at his place of transacting business, No. 20 Nassau Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the City of New York, on or before the 23d day of June next. —Dated New York, the 23d day of November, 1907. WM. S. OPDYKE, Executor. OPDYKE, LADD & BRISTOW, Attorneys for Executor, 20 Nassau Street, New York, N. Y.

# SHIPPING AND MAILS

## Miniature Almanac for To-day.

Sun rises..6:13 | Sun sets..6:07 | Moon sets..4:49

TIDES TO-DAY.

| | High Water. A.M. | High Water. P.M. | Low Water. A.M. | Low Water. P.M. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sandy Hook........ | 5:04 | 5:45 | 11:29 | 11:38 |
| Governors Island.... | 5:47 | 6:27 | .... | 12:22 |
| Hell Gate .......... | 7:00 | 8:20 | .... | 2:34 |

## Arrived—Friday, March 13.

SS Lusitania, Liverpool, March 7.
SS Bovic, Liverpool, March 1.
SS Matanzas, Cienfuegos, March 7.
SS Breslau, Bremen, Feb. 29.
SS Apache, Jacksonville, March 10.
SS Monterey, Havana, March 10.
SS Dorisbrook, Vera Cruz, Feb. 21.
SS Manoa, Nuevitas, March 6.
SS Kabinga, Boston, March 11.
SS Reindeer, Savannah, March 6.
SS El Rio, Galveston, March 7.
SS City of Columbus, Savannah, March 10.
SS Manna Hata, Baltimore, March 12.
SS Regina, Newport News, March 11.
SS Alleghany, Inagua, March 9.
SS Yumuri, Santiago, Feb. 29.
SS Ursula Bright, Guantanamo, March 4.
SS Delaware, Philadelphia, March 12.
SS Hamilton, Norfolk, March 12.

## Outgoing Steamships.

| SAIL TO-DAY. | Mails Close. | Vessels Sail. |
|---|---|---|
| St. Paul, Southampton.. | 6:30 A.M. | 10:00 A.M. |
| Lucania, Liverpool .... | 9:00 A.M. | 11:00 A.M. |
| Bermudian, Bermuda .... | 8:00 A.M. | 10:00 A.M. |
| Philadelphia, Curacao... | 8:30 A.M. | 12:00 M. |
| Seneca, Mayaguez ...... | 9:00 A.M. | 12:00 M. |
| Havana, Havana ........ | 10:00 A.M. | 1:00 P.M. |
| Savan, Guiana ......... | 10:00 A.M. | 1:00 P.M. |
| Gutrune, Barbados ...... | 11:00 A.M. | 2:00 P.M. |
| Cherokee, Turk's Island.. | 12:00 M. | 3:00 P.M. |
| Spanish Prince, Argent'a. | 12:00 M. | 3:00 P.M. |
| Altai, Inagua .......... | 11:00 A.M. | 2:00 P.M. |
| Minneapolis, London..... | ——— | 8:30 A.M. |
| Finland, Antwerp ....... | ——— | 11:00 A.M. |
| Konigin Luise, Naples ... | ——— | 5:00 P.M. |
| Columbia, Glasgow ...... | ——— | 2:00 P.M. |
| Iroquois, Jacksonville... | ——— | 3:00 P.M. |
| City of Macon, Sav'nah.. | ——— | 3:00 P.M. |
| Nueces, Galveston ...... | ——— | 12:00 M. |
| SAIL TO-MORROW. | | |
| Prinz Joachim, Jamaica. | 6:30 A.M. | 9:00 A.M. |
| SAIL MONDAY. | | |
| Spanish Prince, Argentina | 12:00 M. | 3:00 P.M. |
| Jefferson, Norfolk...... | | 3:00 P.M. |
| SAIL TUESDAY. | | |
| Kronprinzessin Cecilie, Bremen | 6:30 A.M. | 10:00 A.M. |
| Advance, Colon ......... | 11:30 A.M. | 3:00 P.M. |
| Madonna, Naples........ | ——— | |
| Apache, Jacksonville.... | ——— | 3:00 P.M. |
| C. of Savannah, Sav'nah. | ——— | 3:00 P.M. |

Supplementary mails are open on the piers of the American, English, French, and German transatlantic lines until within ten minutes of the hour of sailing.

## Incoming Steamships.

| DUE TO-DAY. | | |
|---|---|---|
| Manchuria.............. | Cardiff ......... | Feb. 19 |
| Netherlee.............. | Shields ......... | Feb. 21 |
| Corsican Prince........ | Tyne ........... | Feb. 25 |
| Santurce............... | Porto Rico....... | Mar. 4 |
| Julia Luckenbach....... | San Juan......... | Mar. 4 |
| Geyaz.................. | Para ........... | Feb. 29 |
| Graf Waldersee......... | Hamburg ......... | Feb. 29 |
| Crown of Castile....... | Rotterdam ....... | Feb. 27 |
| Monviso................ | Gibraltar ....... | Feb. 29 |
| Baltic................. | Liverpool ....... | Mar. 5 |
| Bristol City........... | Swansea ......... | Feb. 27 |
| San Marcos............. | Galveston ....... | Mar. 7 |
| Paloma................. | Matanzas ........ | Mar. 7 |
| New York............... | Southampton ..... | Mar. 7 |
| Cearense............... | Para ........... | Mar. 2 |
| Perugia................ | Gibraltar ....... | Mar. 4 |
| DUE TO-MORROW. | | |
| Minnehaha.............. | London ......... | Mar. 5 |
| Seguranca.............. | Nassau ......... | Mar. 12 |
| Maraval................ | Port Spain....... | Mar. 7 |
| Albenga................ | Gibraltar ....... | Mar. 1 |
| City of Savannah....... | Savannah ........ | Mar. 12 |
| DUE MONDAY. | | |
| Maracaibo.............. | Curacao ......... | Mar. 9 |
| Bretagne............... | Havre .......... | Mar. 7 |
| Vaderland.............. | Antwerp ......... | Mar. 7 |
| Brooklyn City.......... | Swansea ......... | Mar. 3 |
| El Sud................. | Galveston ....... | Mar. 10 |
| Comus.................. | New Orleans...... | Mar. 11 |
| Admiral Farragut....... | Port Antonio..... | Mar. 11 |
| San Juan............... | Porto Rico....... | Mar. 11 |
| Pannonia............... | Naples ......... | Mar. 5 |

## Reported by Wireless.

SS Graf Waldersee, incoming from Hamburg, was reported by Marconi wireless passed Nantucket at 2 P. M. yesterday; due at her pier about 8:30 A. M. to-day.

SS New York, incoming from Southampton, was reported by Marconi wireless 770 miles east of Sandy Hook at 6 P. M. yesterday; due at her pier about 11:30 A. M. Sunday.

SS Bretagne, incoming from Havre, was reported by Marconi wireless about 1,000 miles east of Sandy Hook yesterday; time not given.

SS Baltic, incoming from Liverpool, was reported by Marconi wireless 321 miles east of Sandy Hook at 5 P. M. yesterday; due at her pier about 4 P. M. Saturday.

SS Philadelphia, outgoing, was reported by Marconi wireless 250 miles west of the Lizard at 6:30 P. M. yesterday; due at Plymouth about 10:30 A. M. to-day.

# From Foreign Ports

## Arrived.

SS Republic, at St. Michael's, March 13.
SS Prinzess Irene, at Genoa, March 13.
SS Pretoria, at Hamburg, March 13.
SS Celtic, at Queenstown, March 13.
SS Trinidad, at Bermuda, March 13.
SS Castillian Prince, at Santos, March 11.
SS Chesapeake, at Lisbon, March 11.
SS Maranhense, at Para, March 11.
SS Miguel de Larrinaga, at Montevideo, March 11.
SS Sieglinde, at Rio Janeiro, March 10.
SS Hudson, at Havre, March 11.
SS Mauretania, at Liverpool, March 13.

## Sailed.

SS Korona, from St. Thomas, March 13.
SS Hamburg, from Naples, March 13.
SS Phoebus, from Hamburg, March 11.
SS Saramacca, from Amsterdam March 12.
SS Kansas City, from Swansea, March 12.
SS San Giovanni, from Naples, March 9.
SS Luisiana, from Naples, March 10.
SS Siegmund, from Rio Janeiro, March 9.

## Passed.

SS Wye, New York for Yokohama, passed Perim.
SS Venezia, New York for Naples, passed Gibraltar.
SS Terence, New York for Manchester, passed Kinsale.
SS Gallia, Marseilles for New York, passed Gibraltar.
SS Narragansett, New York for London, passed Scilly.
SS Cretic, Naples for New York, passed Gibraltar.
SS F. der Grosse, New York for Naples, passed Fayal.
SS Standard, New York for ———, passed Dunnet Head.

## Pacific Steamships.

| Destination and Steamer. | Mails Close in New York. | |
|---|---|---|
| Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.)—Empress of Japan.. | Mar. 14 | 6:00 P.M. |
| Hawaii, (via San Francisco) —Alameda ............ | Mar. 16 | 6:00 P.M. |
| Hawaii, Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via San Francisco)—Manchuria .............. | Mar. 19 | 6:00 P.M. |
| Australia, (except West,) New Zealand, Samoan Islands, Fiji Islands, and New Caledonia, (via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.) —Moana ............... | Mar. 22 | 6:00 P.M. |
| Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via Seattle)—Tango Maru...... | Mar. 26 | 6:00 P.M. |
| Hawaii, Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via San Francisco)—Nippon Maru | March 26 | 6:00 P.M. |
| Hawaii, Guam, and Philippine Islands, (via San Francisco)—U. S. transport. | Apr. 1 | 6:00 P.M. |
| New Zealand, Australia, (except West,) Samoan Islands, and New Caledonia, (via San Francisco)—Inveric | Apr. 5 | 6:00 P.M. |
| Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.)—Empress of China.. | Apr. 8 | 6:00 P.M. |
| Tahiti and Marquesas Islands, (via San Francisco)— Mariposa | Apr. 11 | 6:00 P.M. |

For Latest Shipping News See Page 1.

# THE WEATHER

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Fair weather with moderately high temperatures have continued in nearly all parts of the country.

In the East and South fair weather is probable, while snow is indicated for the Upper Missouri Valley, with a decided fall in temperature.

Winds along the New England and Middle Atlantic Coasts will be fresh west; South Atlantic Coast, light to fresh southwest.

Steamships departing Saturday for European ports will have fresh west winds and fair weather to the Grand Banks.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY AND SUNDAY.

Eastern New York—Fair and colder Saturday. Sunday, rain, warmer; fresh west winds.

New Jersey and Eastern Pennsylvania—Fair and colder Saturday. Sunday partly cloudy, probably rain by night; fresh west winds.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at midnight, taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

| | 1907. | 1908. | | 1907. | 1908. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3 A. M....... | 9 | 47 | 4 P. M....... | 28 | 54 |
| 6 A. M....... | 9 | 44 | 6 P. M....... | 31 | 53 |
| 9 A. M....... | 11 | 47 | 9 P. M....... | 29 | 49 |
| 12 M......... | 18 | 52 | 12 P. M...... | 30 | 50 |

This thermometer is 108 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 50; for the corresponding date last year it was 22; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 36.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 46; at 8 P. M. it was 49. Maximum temperature, 57 degrees at 2 P. M.; minimum, 43 degrees at 5 A. M. Humidity, 72 per cent. at 8 A. M., 76 per cent. at 8 P. M.

American District Telegraph offices and all advertising agencies receive want advertisements for insertion the following day in The New York Times—Objectionable and fraudulent advertisements excluded.

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### LOST AND FOUND.

*15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.*

**LOST**—In vicinity of 42d St. and 3d Av., March 12, about 6 P. M., a pocketbook containing $5 bill and check on Canajoharie National Bank for $600, checks on Fulton Co. National Bank, Gloversville, N. Y., for $257, $60, $30, $25, $20, $14, $13, payable to Catherine O'Donnell; payment stopped. A reward and no questions asked if returned to 47 West 94th St.

**LOST**—On B. R. T. train between King's Highway and Boerum Place, one package containing 4 photographs and German letter; reward. I. Masseur, Room 801 Whitehall Building, Battery Place, New York City.

**LOST**—Certificate No. 44,266, for 14 shares Morris & Essex Railroad Co.; this certificate is not negotiable and transfer has been stopped. Notify R. L. Day & Co., 37 Wall St.

**LOST**—Thursday, about 11 A. M., emerald and rhinestone pin, 3-leaf clover design, between 8th Av., 50th and 71st Sts.; suitable reward. Owner, 6 West 56th St.

**LOST**—March 13, pearl pin, between Mall, Central Park, and East 67th St. entrance and Park Av. and 63d St.; reward. 119 East 65th St.

**LOST**—On March 13, on Madison or Lexington Av. car, black lynx muff; liberal reward. D. S. Hudson, Madison Avenue Hotel, 92d St. and Madison Av.

**LOST**—Thursday morning, between Franklin and Spring Sts., on Broadway, silk fob, with gold charm, initialed "A. F. K."; reward. Arthur F. Kaufmann, 107 Franklin St.

**LOST**—Saturday, March 7, in Stuyvesant Theatre, opera glasses and lady's white gloves. Kindly notify M. E. S., 1,459 Dean St., Brooklyn, and receive reward.

**LOST**—New York end Brooklyn Bridge, diamond butterfly containing diamonds, 4 rubies, and pearl centre; liberal reward. M. V., Box 257 Times Downtown.

**LOST**—Between 75th and 77th Sts., string of pearls, 3-stone diamond clasp; liberal reward. 247 West 75th St.

**LOST**—Gold flexible diamond bracelet. $25.00 reward for its return to Robt. G. Grunert, 172 9th Av.

**LOST**—Silver purse, 59th St., Columbus Av.; reward. Shire, 620 West 115th St. Telephone 3800 Morningside.

**LOST**—Three keys on pink ribbon, between 72d-80th Sts. Return to 219 West 80th St. Roycroft.

**LOST**—At Broadway and 76th St., Friday afternoon, tan leather purse. Finder will kindly return to 315 West 76th St.; reward.

**LOST**—Lady's gold watch, March 6; case 21745; liberal reward. A. C., Box 72 Times.

### LOST AND FOUND CATS & DOGS.

*15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.*

**LOST**—On March 13, from 313 West 75th St., a long-haired Yorkshire terrier; answers to name of King; finder will receive suitable reward.

**LOST**—Fox terrier, black spot right side and head; reward. Ritchey, 248 West 105th St.

### FOUND.

**FOUND, March 12**—Awaiting owners Lost Property Office, Interborough Rapid Transit Company, 39 Greenwich St.:
On Second Av. Elevated—Glove, muff, 2 lasts, coat hangers, money, spectacles, wall paper.
On Third Av. Elevated—Photo supplies, purse, spectacles, 2 books, gloves, cigarette case, photo mats, buckle, neckpiece, stockings, cloth, polish, music stand.
On Sixth Av. Elevated—Gloves, sewing material, belt, eyeglasses, cuff button, purse.
On Ninth Av. Elevated—Candy, handbag, magazine, gloves, 3 packs cards, photos, canvas bag, eggs.
In Subway—Leather case, pass case, pocketbook, watch fob, brooch, handbag, check book, 3 books, catalogue, music, sketches, gloves, slate, muffler, muff, photograph, keys, shirt, &c.; overalls, &c.; pillow case.

**FOUND, March 12**—Awaiting owners Lost Property Office, Pennsylvania R. R., Jersey City, N. J.:
On Pennsylvania Trains—Umbrella, overcoat, comb, key, slipper, mirror, rubbers, book, suit case, pump, eyeglasses, watch and fob, pocketbook, bag, package.

**FOUND, March 12**—Awaiting owners Lost Property Office, Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, 168 Montague St., Brooklyn:
On Brooklyn Elevated Lines—Lunch box, pocketbook, pail, umbrella.
On Brooklyn Surface Lines—Paper, pocketbook, ledger, umbrella.

**FOUND, March 12**—Awaiting owners Lost Property Office, N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., Grand Central Station: 5 packages, R. R. ticket, overcoat, umbrella, mileage book, case, eyeglass case.

**FOUND, March 13**—Awaiting owners Lost Property Clerk's Office, Police Headquarters, 300 Mulberry St.: Watch and fob, purse, bag, pocketbook, cash, book, keys, watch and pin.

**FOUND, March 12**—Awaiting owners Information Desk, D., L. & W. R. R., Hoboken, N. J.: Umbrella, muff, 3 packages, eyeglasses, gloves.

**FOUND, March 12**—Awaiting owners Information Desk, Erie R. R., Jersey City: Book, pocketbook, 2 umbrellas, gloves.

**FOUND, March 12**—Awaiting owners Information Desk, Long Island R. R., Long Island City: Music roll, gloves, valise.

**FOUND, March 12**—Awaiting owners Station Master Jersey Central R. R., Jersey City: Book, muff, boa.

### BOARDERS WANTED.

*15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.*

**West Side.**

7TH AV., 2,033, 123d.—Comfortable, steam-heated rooms; finest board; homelike; elegant location; moderate.

39TH ST., 57 WEST.—Board and rooms for persons with reliable references; Southern home.

39TH ST., 37 WEST.—Attractive, large rooms; excellent table board; references.

46TH ST., 244-246 WEST.—Exceptionally clean rooms; first-class French cuisine; telephone; reasonable.

72D ST., 131 WEST.—High-class house; large, small rooms; excellent cuisine; parlor dining; reference.

79TH ST., 151 WEST.—Desirable second floor sunny room.

82D ST., 122 WEST.—Finely appointed rooms, with private bath; excellent board and service; table guests; parlor dining room; telephone.

82D ST., 136 WEST.—Three single rooms, southern, one parlor floor; table board; good quality.

83D ST., 129 WEST.—Rooms and board, $7 upward; parlor dining room; table board; 'phone; references.

93D ST., 122 WEST.—Pleasant, large, and medium sized rooms; good board; telephone; references.

93D ST., 163 WEST.—Desirable room, dressing room next to bath; select home; table guests.

104TH ST., 61 WEST.—Second floor front; suitable for couple; refined surroundings; other rooms.

104th St., 59 West.
Table board.

135TH ST., 212 WEST.—Two large connecting rooms, second floor; also single rooms; board optional.

**East Side.**

17TH ST., 116 EAST.—Two single rooms; exceptionally well-kept house; excellent table; table guests.

21ST ST., 139 EAST, Gramercy Park.—Furnished room, with board; running water; all conveniences.

58TH STREET, 30 EAST.—Large, sunny, third-floor room; also fourth floor small room; parlor dining room; refined; permanent; adults; reference.

LEXINGTON AV., 786, 61st St.—Comfortably furnished, large room; conveniences; board optional; telephone.

**Brooklyn.**

AMITY ST., 130, Brooklyn.—Large room; southern exposure; ample closet room; steam heat; convenient to Borough Hall tube.

**Long Island.**

AT DOUGLASTON, Long Island, 12 miles from New York and in the city limits, is a magnificent private estate of two hundred acres; the old homestead or manor house is now the Douglas Manor Inn; it retains its homelike grandeur and is luxurious in its appointments; the management caters to refined and appreciative people, and references are required; one can only realize by personal inspection the opportunity here offered to spend the Winter at moderate expense in a home that has no equal in this vicinity; the train service is good.

**New Jersey.**

Cranford, N. J.—Desirable location, near station, for young men; references required. R., Box 16 Times, Times Square.

### FURNISHED ROOMS.

*15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.*

**West Side.**

14TH ST., 236 WEST.—Clean, light, comfortable rooms; board optional; light housekeeping.

41ST ST., 124 WEST.—Large parlor floor to let, together, separately, furnished or not; opportunity, doctors, clubs, business; other rooms.

48TH ST., 134 WEST.—Doctor's office; desirable back parlor with extension; also bedroom furnished.

49TH ST., 131 WEST.—Large pleasant heated room; hot water; transient.

65TH ST., 59 WEST.—Hot and cold water bath, elevator apartment, $5. Third apartment west.

77TH ST., 104 WEST.—Large front room; bath, phone, suitable 2-3, also single room.

86TH ST., 126 WEST.—Private family; large front room; private bath; electric lights; telephone.

93D ST., 169 WEST.—Desirable rooms, comfortably furnished; all conveniences; telephone; centrally located.

94TH ST., 35 WEST.—
FINELY FURNISHED ROOM, WITH PRIVATE BATH, IN PRIVATE HOUSE; TELEPHONE, ELECTRIC LIGHT; GENTLEMAN ONLY; BREAKFAST SERVED IN ROOM IF DESIRED.

94TH ST., 78 WEST.—Large, small sunny, well-furnished rooms; large closets; running water. Potter.

96TH ST., 121 WEST.—Desirable, newly furnished, sunny connecting front rooms; Subway; gentlemen; references. Vanderhoff.

111TH ST., 515 WEST.—Large, sunny front room, adjoining bath; elevator; gentlemen; private family. Hills.

132D ST., 201 WEST.—Nicely furnished room, second floor, $2.50; references exchanged. Gauvain.

DESIRABLE ROOMS, single, suite; responsible parties only; every convenience; 107th St., Broadway Subway express. Smith, 10 East 42d St. Telephone 5566—38th.

MANHATTAN AV., 372, 116th St.—Light, sunny rooms; heat, bath; second floor. Maxwell.

**East Side.**

43D ST., 131 EAST.—Refined home; sunny, square, heated; bath; closet; permanent; gentleman; references. Neilson.

47TH ST., 153 EAST.—Sunny parlor, bedroom; running water; choicely furnished, decorated; reasonable.

49TH ST., 38 EAST.—Two very desirable rooms for gentlemen; moderate terms; convenient location; references.

58TH ST., 34 EAST.—Small room, near bath; breakfast optional; telephone.

LEXINGTON AV., 1,044, (75th.)—Handsomely furnished rooms, well heated, with bath, to gentlemen; references.

**Brooklyn.**

LARGE, SUNNY, front alcove room, second floor; every convenience; private house; Quincy St., near Tompkins Av. "L" station; telephone 2207J-Bedford; references. Owner, Box 195 Times Downtown.

### FURNISHED ROOMS WANTED.

*15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.*

ACCOMMODATIONS wanted for reliable applicants; responsibility guaranteed; large demand Manhattan and Brooklyn for rooms and boarding places in select private houses and families; representative will call upon request. Temple Rental Company, 5 Beekman St.

### UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

*15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.*

2,688 Broadway, near 103d St.; to sublet, five light, independent rooms; kitchen; first floor; rare chance; all conveniences; $30. Dr. Beall.

Studio for business and living; heat, gas, closets, 'phone, running water. 228 West 58th.

### HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

*15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.*

**Domestics.**

WANTED—Girl for general housework; private family; references. 125 East 54th St.

**Governesses.**

WANTED — GOVERNESSES, TEACHERS, HOUSEKEEPERS, ATTENDANTS, MATRONS, secretaries, companions, nurses. HOPKIN'S Educational Agency, 1 Union Square. 4923 Stuyvesant.

### HELP WANTED—MALES.

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# LIBRARIES SWAMPED BY CHILD READERS

## Carnegie Branch in Pitkin Avenue, Brownsville, Crowded Far Beyond Its Capacity.

## ANOTHER TO BE ENLARGED

### Work Stopped on Glenmore Avenue Branch and Architects Ordered to Revise Plans—No Women Readers.

The Trustees of the Carnegie Library Fund have ordered work stopped on the Glenmore Avenue Branch in the Brownsville section of Brooklyn, and instructed the architect to arrange for the enlargement of the building. The Trustees have decided that the library as originally planned will be inadequate to the growth of Brownsville, which now has 90,000 inhabitants, and every day brings in more people from the lower east side of Manhattan.

The matter was brought to the attention of the Trustees by the extraordinary demands of the district upon the Pitkin Avenue Branch, which was formerly thought sufficient for this section. This branch, which contains 10,000 volumes, opened with a membership of 7,000, but the building soon became so crowded at all hours of the day that every available seat, table, and stairway was filled and a waiting line formed outside.

To meet the emergency the librarians adopted the rule that no one could enter to read who did not hold a membership card. The membership list promptly rose to 9,000, a number far beyond the capacity of the building, and by December the monthly circulation arose to 23,000 volumes. As there are only 10,000 books on the shelves, the same books have to go out three and four times a month.

The greatest demand has been in the children's department, where the shelves are often stripped bare, while the children form in line at the receiving desk and grab the books as they are brought in. Sometimes the janitor has to be called to quell the disputes arising over the possession of Grimm's "Fairy Tales" and other favorites.

The number of child readers makes a serious problem for the librarians, for many of the youngsters prefer the library to their homes, and the librarians have to forcibly remove them at closing hours.

Of the 7,000 members of the Pitkin Avenue Branch only 250 are more than 25 years old, and there are no adult women readers. On Washington's Birthday the library was crowded from morning till night, and a waiting line formed outside, but in all the crowd there was not a single woman. The branch has been forced to have its printing done in Yiddish.

# COURT FAVORS SUGAR TRUST.

### Judge Holt Thinks Sherman Law Doesn't Cover $30,000,000 Sugar Suit.

Judge Holt, in the United States Circuit Court, heard argument yesterday by counsel for the American Sugar Refining Company to dismiss the suit for $30,000,000 damages brought against the trust by Receiver Earle and the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company of Philadelphia under the Sherman Anti-trust act. Judge Holt said that he was of the opinion that there was no remedy under the sections of this act, and that he was willing to give judgment then on what seemed to him to be the merits of the case. "It seems to me," he said, "that the plaintiffs never began business, nor is there any reason for the court to believe they intended to do so." He finally ordered that briefs be submitted, however, and this was done. There will be another hearing on the case on April 6.

Counsel for the American Company contends that the building of the Pennsylvania refinery was simply a bluff to make the American company buy it out, and that since the Pennsylvania company never manufactured sugar, it could not recover damages for what it may have intended to do. This appeared to be the view of the court.

# $3,800 STOLEN ON MILWAUKEE

### Crew's Pay Taken from Paymaster's Cabin—No Clue.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13. — The United States cruiser Milwaukee of Admiral Swinburne's squadron, returning to-day from target practice at Magdalena Bay, brought word of a daring theft on board.

The sum of $3,800 in gold was taken from the Paymaster's room by some person doing duty on the cruiser. Paymaster G. E. Skipwith first learned of the theft when he returned to his room from a stroll on deck and suddenly missed the sack containing the crew's pay. A hasty examination of the safe revealed the fact that the combination had been worked.

A thorough search was made of the ship and of the 400 enlisted men, but all efforts to catch the thief and find the stolen gold failed. It is thought the money is hidden on board the vessel.

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# BANKING BILLS AMENDMENTS.

### Collateral Loans Are Limited to 25 Per Cent. of Capital in Manhattan.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 13.—Chairman Francis of the Assembly Banks Committee and Supt. Williams of the State Banking Department gave out to-day a memorandum with regard to amendments agreed upon to some of the pending banking reform bills.

By the amendments to the bill relative to restrictions upon loans and business methods of corporations subject to the provisions of the banking law, loans upon collateral and commercial and business paper are limited to 25 per cent. of capital and surplus in the Borough of Manhattan, the law remaining unchanged as to other localities.

The prohibition with regard to second mortgages contained in the present bill is changed so as to permit loans upon second mortgage security where the aggregate of prior mortgages, liens, and incumbrances does not exceed 10 per cent. of the capital and surplus of the corporation making the loan and the total amount secured upon any parcel of real estate, including proper mortgages, liens, and incumbrances, does not exceed two-thirds of the appraised value of the real estate.

Total loans upon real estate security are limited to 10 per cent. of the aggregate assets of the institution making the loan in the Borough of Manhattan, and 25 per cent. of the aggregate assets of the institution making the loan in other localities.

# ACCIDENTALLY KILLS WIFE.

### Government Clerk Mistakes Her for Burglar and Shoots Her.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Hugh Hollis, a Treasury Department clerk, who came here from Louisville, Ky., and served for a time as private secretary to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, shot and killed his wife at their home early to-day.

Hollis procured a revolver a day or two ago and took leave from his office yesterday to practice with the weapon. About 3 o'clock this morning his wife arose to attend their child, and as she returned to the bedside Hollis awakened, pulled the revolver from beneath his pillow and fired, instantly killing the woman.

Immediately he went to sleep again and apparently knew nothing of the shooting until he was afterward awakened. He has always borne an excellent reputation and declares he was dreaming of burglars.

# MINERS' SCALE UNSETTLED.

### Workers' Convention Awaits Report of Scale Committee on Wages.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 13.—The convention of the United Mine Workers of America was in session an hour to-day. It then adjourned until to-morrow morning to await the report of the Scale Committee regarding the course the organization shall take in the impending wage troubles with the operators. T. D. Nichols of the Wilkesbarre-Scranton (Penn.) district, reported that the committee had not reached an agreement.

It is probable that the present wage scale will be insisted upon.

# CAMP FIRE CLUB DINES.

### New Steps to Protect Big Game Taken at Fifth Annual Feast.

The Camp Fire Club of America held its fifth annual dinner last night at the Café des Beaux Arts in the art room, which was picturesquely decorated with pine branches. Miniature camps of sugar put on each table reminded the members of the hunting season. The guests of honor were Gifford Pinchot, Chief Forester of the United States; Gov. Wilford Hoggatt of Alaska, and Job E. Hedges. One hundred and fifty-four members of the club were present. The dinner included a dish of wild boar and roast 'possum, sent expressly from North Carolina for the occasion. President Anderson in his speech said that the object of the club was to get all the big game hunters in America to organize in protecting the game and preserving the forests.

Each member of the club was requested to make a report of the hunting trips he made, stating the conditions of the place, the abundance of game, and the cost, which would be kept on file for the use of the club.

William T. Hornaday spoke of the necessity of preserving the game and the forests, which were of vital importance to the Nation. Dr. T. K. Tuthill said that a form was being prepared to send to all the members of the club to get their opinion of the ability and conduct of the various guides at the hunting resorts, so that they could prepare a list of reliable men and educate them to take an interest in the protection of the game and the preservation of the forests. Chief Forester Pinchot told of the work of his men in the last year, and Job Hedges told the guests funny stories.

The Governors elected last night to act for the next three years were William T. Hornaday, Edmund Seymour, William Edward Coffin, Dan C. Beard, and Irving Bacheller.

# CITY BREVITIES.

The conviction of Isaac Bloom, sentenced to seven years' imprisonment for perjury committed in a city railway damage suit, was affirmed yesterday by the Appellate Division.

The Twenty-seventh Assembly District Republican Club will hold its annual dinner at Burns's Restaurant, 105 West Forty-fourth Street, to-night at 7:30 o'clock. Among the invited guests are Congressman Parsons and State Senator Agnew.

The New Century Club of the Bronx will hold its first reception and ball on Sunday evening at Muller's Casino. Medallion souvenirs in the shape of firemen's helmets will be sold. The receipts will go to the Kruger memorial fund.

The Friends of Ireland will give their twenty-eighth St. Patrick's Day dinner this year in Shanley's Roman Court, Times Square. Ex-Corporation Counsel Delany is President, and among those who will attend are Corporation Counsel Pendleton, Controller Metz, and Congressman Sulzer.

Health Commissioner Darlington arrived home last night on the steamer Monterey from a vacation in Havana.

A well-gowned young woman, said to be Mrs. Lionel Post of Elizabeth, N. J., daughter of Dr. Victor Mravlag, an Austrian physician, was admitted to the alcoholic ward of Bellevue Hospital late last night. According to the hospital records she was suffering from morphine. It was said that her husband had recently died.

# LOSSES BY FIRE.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 13.—Fire in the establishment of the Baltimore Wall Paper Company caused three alarms to be sent in early this morning. The fire originated in the cellar. The damage is estimated at $35,000.

COCHITUATE, Mass., March 13.—The shoe factory owned by Arthur C. and Chester B. Williams was destroyed by fire to-day, causing an estimated loss of $50,000. The blaze is believed to have been caused by an overheated boiler.

# YESTERDAY'S FIRES.

| A. M. | Loss. |
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| 1:40—Barnes Av. and 223d St.; Frank Mazzo. | $500 |
| 1:45—304 E. 119th St.; Harry Cohen | $150 |
| 2:15—31 Pike St.; R. B. Robertson | $100 |
| 5:00—306 2d St.; Joseph Berger | $25 |
| 8:30—247 Broome St.; Herman Struck | $100 |
| 9:10—163 W. 60th St.; Charles Weiner | $250 |
| 10:55—225-227 W. 77th St.; Senator Reynolds. | $3,500 |
| 11:00—2,015 Lexington Av.; J. J. McCarthy. | Trifling |
| P. M. | |
| 12:10—Christopher and Bleecker Sts.; Met. Railroad | $25 |
| 12:50—550 E. 134th St.; Wm. J. King | $5 |
| P. M. | |
| 1:55—1,661 2d Av.; Victor Rapki | $100 |
| 3:10—401 West 57th St.; Samuel Hutter | $25 |
| 4:00—233 W. 14th St.; Pauline Chegnay | $1,500 |
| 4:43—943 3d Av.; Samuel Newman | $30 |
| 5:15—200 9th Av.; I. Kind | $5 |
| 5:30—7th Av. and 20th St.; Met. St. Ry. Co. | Trifling |
| 6:45—142 Forsyth St.; Abraham Eskowitz | $5 |
| 7:30—74 Orchard St.; Samuel Cohen | $10 |
| 8:10—112 E. 114th St.; Michael Henderson. | $100 |
| 8:15—182 Cherry St.; J. G. Price | $250 |
| 8:30—245 Grand St.; unknown | $150 |
| 9:05—133d St. and Old Broadway; Manhattan College | $250 |
| 9:05—170th St. and Wilkins Av.; Fleishman & Co. | Trifling |
| 10:20—19 Bond St.; O. G. Samuels | $20,000 |
| 10:30—15 Vandewater St.; Charles F. Miller | $25 |
| 11:00—126 Madison St.; J. Rosenthal | Trifling |

### AN INTERVIEW WITH ADMIRAL DEWEY.

With the arrival of the United States ships of war at Magdalena Bay there has come a renewed interest in the great fleet. In THE SUNDAY TIMES there will be a notable interview with Admiral Dewey. The distinguished naval officer speaks for the Administration in this matter, and argues strongly for its programme. It is an article of timeliness and importance.—Adv.

# BURGLAR HUNT ENDS IN RESCUE IN TUNNEL

## Fleeing Thief Leaps Into Park Avenue Subway and Lands on Tracks Unconscious.

## SLEUTH SAVES HIS LIFE

### Descends Into Hole by Rope Ladder and Drags Senseless Man from in Front of Train.

The story of the meeting in the early morning hours yesterday of Henry Brink, burglar, with the police of the East Sixty-seventh Street Police Station and the special burglar squad recently assigned by Commissioner Bingham to the residential district in the East Sixties and Seventies, reads like a page from "Nick Carter" or "Old Sleuth" at their best. Brink is now lying on a cot in Bellevue Hospital, badly battered. He will not rob again for many days to come.

The chase after Brink, soon after he had broken into the apartment of Charles W. Pierson, a lawyer, on the fourth floor of the Sussex, at 55 East Sixty-fifth Street, and while contemplating another venture, the police believe, when discovered, wound up in the Park Avenue tunnel of the New York Central Railroad. An automobile searchlight, a hand-over-hand descent into the tunnel on a rope by a nervy detective, and the saving of Brink's life by the officer were incidents in the story.

Policeman Alexander Fraser heard a peculiar scraping noise as he walked past the areaway of the Palacio apartment on the northwest corner of Sixty-fifth Street and Park Avenue at 2:30 o'clock in the morning. He leaned over the railing and thought he could make out a man adjusting an iron ladder under one of the lower windows.

"Who's down there?" he shouted. The shadow replied with an oath, and Fraser climbed over the railing and dropped to the floor, ten feet below. Before he could recover his poise, however, the shadow at the ladder darted up the steps and around the corner into Sixty-fifth Street. Fraser sped after him, and just before the fugitive turned into Madison Avenue fired two shots at him. They went wide, and served only to increase the fugitive's speed.

**Seeks Refuge in Railway Tunnel.**

Policeman Short and Sergt. Connelly heard the shots and came running down the avenue toward the burglar. He reached the corner first and turned back on Sixty-sixth Street in the direction of Park Avenue. The three officers were joined from Fifth Avenue by Policeman O'Sullivan and Detectives Stringer, Brown, and Cook, three of the men recently sent up from the Detective Bureau to the burglar belt.

At Park Avenue the burglar, with the batch of policemen only a few feet behind, dashed across the street, vaulted the railing around the opening of the tunnel in the middle of the avenue, and disappeared into the black hole. The officers were so surprised by this daring move that they stood still in their tracks for a second, until Stringer shouted to Fraser and Short to guard the Fifty-ninth Street entrance to the tunnel. O'Sullivan and Connelly were sent up the avenue to the Seventieth Street entrance.

Then Stringer and Brown climbed over the rail and peered into the tunnel. The hole was pitch black. They shouted, but received no answer. They knew it was fully twenty feet to the tracks below, and that the burglar might have landed safely and hidden in the darkness, or perhaps have been ground to pieces by a passing train. Just then an automobile swung round the corner, and Brown stopped it. He explained the situation to the driver and ordered him to swing the machine close up to the curb around the tunnel inclosure.

**Thrilling Rescue by Policeman.**

The glare of the headlights lighted up the opening into the tunnel and revealed the burglar lying unconscious across the tracks. The chauffeur entered into the spirit of the occasion and hauled out his emergency rope. This was knotted to the railing, and Stringer, who is small and agile, slipped down into the tunnel. Just as he reached the burglar's side he looked down the tunnel and saw the headlight of an approaching train.

Holding the unconscious man upright, he shoved him back against the wall and then jumped as a train whizzed by. He had to press against the stone wall with all his strength, holding Brink with one hand to keep both from being sucked under the wheels. When the train had passed he heard Brown shouting from above. Both he and the chauffeur were afraid the two men had been killed.

Reassured by Stringer's return shouts, the men above pulled the two out. An ambulance was summoned from the Presbyterian Hospital, and Dr. Dexter found that Brink had received badly lacerated hands and knees and a deep cut over his left eye, where his head had hit a rail. After reviving him, and when the policemen had searched and questioned him, the surgeon took him to the hospital.

He refused to give his address or occupation to the police, but said he was 23 years old. He was in his stocking feet, and had in his pocket eleven skeleton keys, a knife, a pack of cards, five pawn tickets, a silver card receiver, and a small medal made out of an old penny and marked "Ivy Chapter, 238, R. A. M., Feb. 2, 1870, New York City."

Quite a crowd of half-dressed residents of the district, who had been awakened by the shooting and noise of the chase, had by this time gathered, and one of them, Mr. Pierson, announced that his apartment had been entered and some silverware stolen. A search of the areaway revealed a black bag containing eighty-five pieces of solid silver and Brink's hat and shoes. Mr. Pierson identified the silver and said it was worth over $500.

The Sussex is next door to the Palacio, and Brink had evidently climbed the fence separating the two areaways and gone up the fire escape. Before leaving the Pierson apartment he had regaled himself with fruit and a bottle of sherry from the sideboard.

Then coming down from the fire escape he had detached the extension ladder and probably intended to enter one of the other apartments when detected.

AMUSEMENTS.

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HACKETT 42d, W. of B'way. Eve. 8:15. Mat. To-day 2:15. John Mason-Witching Hour

FIELDS' Herald Sq. B'way, 35th. Eve. 8:15. Mat. To-day 2:15. LEW FIELDS THE GIRL BEHIND THE COUNTER.

MAJESTIC B'way & 59. Eve. 8:15. Mat. To-day 2:15. Williams & Walker BANDANNA LAND. Special Matinee St. Patrick's Day, March 17. To-m. 8:15. Entertainment & Picture Program. Seats 25c On Sale.

MANHATTAN OPERA HOUSE. 34th St. near 8th Av.
TO-DAY, MATINEE at 1:45—PELLEAS ET MELISANDE. (Miss MARY GARDEN,) Mlles. Gerville-Reache, Sigrist; MM. Perier, Dufranne, Arimondi, Crabbe. Mus. Dir., M. Campanini. TO-NIGHT at 8, popular prices, (75c.-$3)—Double bill—LA NAVARRAISE. Mme. Gerville-Reache; MM. Dalmores, Crabbe, Gianoli-Galletti, Arimondi; and I PAGLIACCI. Mlle. Zeppilli; MM. Bassi, Sammarco, Crabbe. Mus. Dir., Campanini. SUND., 8:30—Campanini Concert, 50c.-$1.50—GIOCONDA (3d Act) and Miscellaneous Program. Entire Chorus and Orchestra. NEXT WEEK.—MON., Mch. 16, (MME. CALVE)—CARMEN. Mlles. Giaconia, Zeppilli, Trentini; MM. Dalmores, Dufranne, Gilibert. Mus. Dir., Campanini. WED., (MARY GARDEN)—LOUISE. Mme. Bressler-Gianoli; MM. Dalmores, Gilibert, and 22 other principals. Mus. Dir., Campanini. FRI. at 7:45, (Last Time—PELLEAS ET MELISANDE. (MARY GARDEN,) Mlles. Gerville-Reache, Sigrist; MM. Perier, Dufranne, Arimondi, Crabbe. Mus. Dir., Campanini. SAT. MAT., (MME. TETRAZZINI)—CRISPINO E LA COMARE. Mlle. Zaccaria; MM. Gianoli-Galletti, Sammarco, Arimondi, Venturini. Mus. Dir., Campanini. SAT. EVE., Mch. 21, to be announced later. Seats for all above now selling.
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Mon. Evg., Mch. 16, at 8—TANNHAEUSER. Morena, Fremstad, Alten; Burrian, Van Rooy, Blass, Reiss, Muhlmann. Conductor, Hertz.
Wed. Evg., Mch. 18, at 8—MIGNON. Farrar, Abott, Jacoby; Bonci, Plancon, Lucas, Muhlmann. Conductor, Bovy.
Thurs. Evg., Mch. 19, at 8—IL TROVATORE. Emma Eames, Homer; Caruso, Stracciari, Muhlmann. Cond., Ferrari.
Fri. Evg., Mch. 20, at 8—FIDELIO. Morena or Leffler-Burckard, Alten; Burrian, Goritz, Blass, Van Rooy, Reiss. Conductor, Mahler.
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# The New York Times.

## SATURDAY REVIEW OF BOOKS.

LITERARY SECTION OF THE NEW YORK TIMES.

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## TO ARCADY.

By CHARLES BUXTON GOING.

ACROSS the hills of Arcady
  Into the Land of Song—
Ah, dear, if you will go with me
  The way will not be long!

It will not lead through solitudes
  Of wind-blown woods or sea;
Dear, no! the city's weariest moods
  May scarce veil Arcady.

'Tis in no unfamiliar land
  Lit by some distant star.
No! Arcady is where you stand,
  And Song is where you are!

So walk but hand in hand with me—
  No road can lead us wrong;
These are the hills of Arcady—
  Here is the Land of Song!

—From Harper's Magazine for March.

## TOPICS OF THE WEEK.

A FENIMORE COOPER Statue Association has been organized, with President Eliot of Harvard University as Chairman, and with a committee including Rudyard Kipling, Prof. Brander Matthews, Prof. Thomas R. Lounsbury, and Donald G. Mitchell. The purpose of the society is the erection in the village of Cooperstown, N. Y., of a bronze or marble statue of the first strictly American writer of romance. The committee believes that the time is ripe for the enterprise, and hopes that the younger generations of Americans, in particular, as well as their elders, who long ago read Cooper's tales of land and sea with unforgettable delight, will unite in making possible the projected memorial.

The youngest son of Charles Dickens, Mr. Edward Bulwer Lytton Dickens, is a Member of Parliament in Australia. Not long ago in the course of a speech he was frequently interrupted by a snappish member named Willis. "Mr. Speaker," said Mr. Dickens, turning to the Chair, "it may be remembered by some present that my father coined an expression which attained some popularity—'Barkis is willin'.' The circumstances to-day are such that I am strongly tempted to reverse the phrase and say, 'Willis is barkin'.'" The retort was effective.

There is, it seems, a Dante Society in Egypt. Early in the year this society proposed to the Alexandria City Council to erect a statue of the Italian poet in the streets of the Egyptian city. The Council agreed to accept the gift. Apparently it never occurred to it that Alexandria would not welcome what any capital in Europe would be glad to have. There has, however, ensued a disturbance which ought not to surprise any one who remembers that Alexandria, ever since the time of Hypatia, has been given to broils between differing cults. To begin with, the very raising of a "graven image" is, in the eyes of strict Mohammedans, an abomination. The rule is, indeed, not strictly observed, for statues of Mohammedan worthies stand in both Alexandria and Cairo. The particular offense concealed in the attempt to raise a figure of Dante in the Mohammedan city is perceived when one remembers the canti on the damnation of the prophet in the "Inferno." The storm of protest has been so great that the enterprise has been abandoned.

Paris has something of a sensation in a novel by M. Noel Bazan, not heretofore known as a writer of the first rank and not now entitled to enter it. But the story has a daring plot which is said to be sustained with considerable genius. "Le Double Visage" turns on the rather doubtful supposition that two sisters can resemble each other so exactly that no one save those who have known them from their infancy can distinguish between them. Anne thinks of nobody but herself, while Marie only lives to make others happy. Albert de Vergnes, a most eligible officer in the navy, falls in love with the self-sacrificing Marie, his affection is returned, and they are engaged. The fiancée is drowned while bathing, and as De Vergnes is absent on foreign service, and the wicked Anne also loves him, it enters into her head to personate her dead sister. The bereaved mother and an old nurse are sworn to secrecy, Marie is buried as Anne, and Anne, as Marie, marries De Vergnes on his return. Under the strain of the incessant dissimulation that this substitution of one sister for the other makes necessary, the mother sinks into senile dementia, and the nurse retires to her native village. The husband, at first taken in, becomes suspicious on noticing that Anne does not recognize a brother officer known to Marie, and at last realizes that he has been imposed upon, with the result that he separates from his wife, as both think, for ever. Then comes the unraveling of the plot. Anne, left to herself, resolves to resemble her dead sister in mind as well as in body, and devotes herself to the good works in which the other delighted. De Vergnes, on his distant ship, at the same time comes to the conclusion that he cannot live without his young wife, and on his return home declares that whether she is Anne or Marie he loves her for herself alone.

Queen Maud of Norway is the author of a book which may be described as a work of fiction. While, strictly speaking, she is not its writer, in another sense she is its author. It is nothing more than a scrap-book, into which the Queen pastes newspaper clippings about herself and the King. However, these clippings are all accounts of things which actually never happened—rumors, speculations, unfounded gossip, and the like. If, some day in the future, a learned historian delving among the records of the past for material wherewith to vitalize the dry bones of history were to hit upon this curious volume he would probably give the world an intimate account of the doings of royalty in the early twentieth century as worthy of belief as are some so-called "sidelights on history" current to-day.

"Let us all join in singing the National Anthem," said the Chairman of a meeting at Carnegie Hall the other night. He added, "The words may be found on the programme," and the audience, more ready to laugh than to vibrate with the proper emotion, showed that it appreciated the humor of the situation. Printing the words of the National Anthem on the programme is a dubious expedient; it is not a compliment to the patriotism of the audience, and it is a question whether it is calculated to enhance patriotism. As a matter of fact, almost every American knows the first two lines of the immortal doggerel, and it is a small matter that no audience could be assembled which could carry it through to the end of the second stanza, where, without perceptible reason, the heart with rapture thrills, like that above. Just as there is nothing in the raucous bombast of the words to dwell in the cherishing memory, so there is nothing in the sense of the verses to thrill the heart with rational feeling of National greatness. National anthems, however, are commonly very poor things; "America" is as good as any. So, though we may not be able to remember very much of it, we shall probably always feel a swelling of the heart as the band strikes up, embark bravely on the enterprise, get successfully to "Li-ber-ty——" and continue to assist incoherently but joyfully in the glorious vocal row which does duty as a National Anthem. Why bother about the words?

A hundred years after his death John Newton is to be honored with a memorial tablet in the old London Church of St. Mary Woolnoth. The writings of John Newton are, of course, largely forgotten now. Who remembers even the title of "Omicron" and "Cardiphonia"? On the other hand, to few authors has it been given to live in words so widely known as does Newton in the noble hymn, "Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken."

"The Thinkers' Club" is the name borne by a new adventurer into the realm of the book publisher. As described in its prospectus, it is to be "a sort of clearing house for the thinkers of the world." Its organizer is Seymour Eaton of "Teddy Bear" fame, founder of "The Booklover's" and "Tabard Inn" Libraries. With him are associated Julian Hawthorne, as Vice President; Harold Bolce, as Secretary, and Edwin Liebfreed, as Treasurer. The object of the club is to issue books that will "fill the gap between the condensed magazine article and the exhaustive and expensive book." For this purpose the club's publications will be of a uniform size—from 8,000 to 12,000 words—and sold at the uniform price of 25 cents. The great majority of these books will be new and written for the club by well-known authors. In addition to these the great books of the world, both past and present, will be published in abridged form, with the consent of the authors and publishers where that is necessary. The first of the club's publications will be ready by the first of May. These will consist of books of a serious character, a number of which are by men who "have been known up to the present time as great captains of industry rather than as great writers." Then, by the first of July, the club will place on sale on every important railroad newsstand the first six numbers of its "Pullman Car Fiction," wrapped in attractive tag paper bearing the label "Each story good for 100 miles of entertainment."

## MECHANICS OF READING.

### A Study of the Processes Through Which Printed Letters Undergo Transformation Into Ideas—Complex Subconscious Operations.

### THE EYE AS A SIGNAL-INSTRUMENT

### Investigation of "Dominant Letters," "Word-Wholes," "Ideographs," and "Recognition-Units."

WHAT is it exactly that you do when you read a printed page? By what intricate mechanic of eye and brain may cold ink on dead paper set your imagination agog and blazon upon your consciousness thoughts, ideas, visions which have had their birth in the consciousness of other men remote in time or space or both—and do it sometimes so vividly that the very emotions and passions of these other men become your emotions and your passions? The thing is a miracle. But the miracle is so swiftly and smoothly accomplished that it seems no miracle. There is hardly, under ordinary circumstances, a sense of effort. You may remember dimly the labor of learning the trick, but the conscious act now is simplicity itself. Like Caesar, you see and conquer.

The real complexity of what you do is considerately confined to the patient subconscious part of you, and is so snugly ensconced there that even the psychologist has much ado to get at the tedious machinery of the process. However, the psychologist is nothing if not curious. And in a modestly laborious volume called "The Psychology and Pedagogy of Reading" (the Macmillan Company) you may discover by grace of the industry of Edmund Burke Huey, A. M., Ph. D., what the inquisition of the psychologist has revealed.

It appears from elaborate experiments performed by harnessing the eye to a micrometer that this useful organ—when a man reads consecutively and conscientiously—follows each line from left to right and swings back again like an oar between strokes, but in the forward pass works not evenly like the oar in the pull, but by jerks like those of the hands of the clock, three to five to an ordinary line. Between the jerks are pauses. Whence the inference that the eye signals to the brain by pictures not of separate letters or of words one by one, but by groups of letters and words. In short, that it translates our alphabetic symbols back into virtual ideographs—each with its association. So by fixing this association and that turning on this brain record and the other, and by combination afterward, the reading is done, much as if one were a Navajo reading picture signs; the meaning conveyed more or less clearly as the reader's set of ideographs is complete and accurate.

As each man evolves his own ideographs for himself out of the printed text, no two men naturally will be likely to read by just the same set of jerks and pauses. And incidentally, unless the matter is very simple or rigidly scientific, no two men will get exactly the same meaning. For no two ideographs will evoke just the same associations. Obviously because these primary associations with symbols are caught young, and the brain record which each symbol swings into consciousness was a chance record. We may all of us, if we take the trouble, discover in our mental picture of a common word or phrase curious and fantastic lingerings of ideas belonging of right to the context in which our childish mind first met it—ideas often quite remote from its proper connotation.

These observations are intrinsically fascinating, but they introduce a wide field of speculation not touched upon by our author. Let us return to the data of the micrometer It appears that the eye in each average pause or flash of the lens between jerks catches a word and a half or more. Reading a foreign language requires more pauses, as does the perusal of a list of proper names or disconnected words. In such cases "the small movements are very fatiguing," and it is surmised that the tendency observed in children to hold their books too near the eye is due to the fact that the motion is through a smaller angle when the book is held further off. The retinal pictures are not so clear at the lesser distance, but the angle being greater the muscular exertion is less also. One reads familiar matter,

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# NOVELIST WRITES OF CHINESE LIFE

## "The Vermilion Pencil" a Strong Story of Passion—Weird Scenes in an Ancient Land.

THE name of Homer Lea will not long remain unknown to fame. This by no means because of his publisher's industrious efforts to acquaint us with numerous remarkable adventures through which he has passed; with the circumstance that he has been "General" of a revolutionary Chinese army, or that he came near overthrowing the dowager Empress a few years ago, but because he is the author of "The Vermilion Pencil," (The McClure Company).

In the volume thus entitled is issued the most remarkable piece of fiction the year thus far has brought. It is a book hard to judge, hard to describe. It is a story of life in China. One of its chief figures is indeed a Christian priest, and two or three other men of the West appear in the pages, but the scenes described and the majority of the figures moving through the book are Chinese. The sights, sounds, and smells of the East are everywhere; everywhere one feels the crowd, the suffocation of vast hordes of men and women of an immemorial race. The paths through which the action travels are time-worn, like the highway on which the story opens, passing through cañons in the hills cut out by a stream of human footsteps that has flowed for centuries.

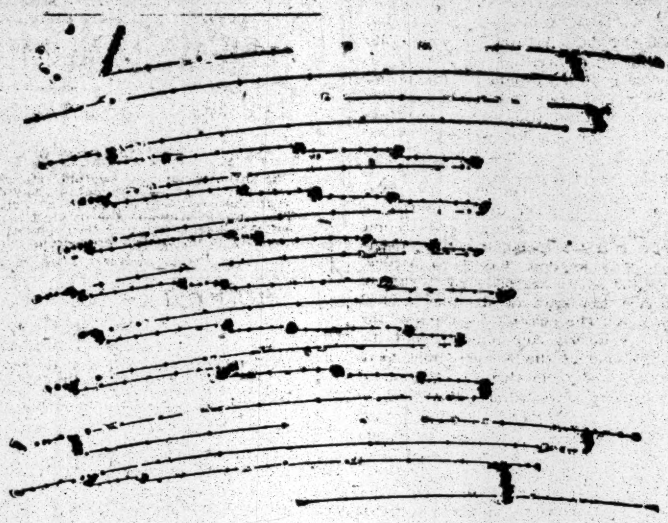
The scenes are often weird and loathsome; sometimes they are of strange and terrible beauty. The book is more than a novel—it is a human document; hardly anything could give a more vivid apprehension of the spirit of the teeming land in which its incident is laid. Homer Lea has done for China what Rudyard Kipling and A. E. W. Mason have done for India—given a sense of it, a feeling of it.

Briefly, the story is of a Roman Catholic missionary who, being detailed to instruct the wife of a high class Mandarin, after many months of conscientious duty finds himself in love with her. They flee together, hiding in "the Grotto of the Sleepless Dragon." Here they are found. The priest is sent to disgrace and the wife to execution—an execution that is never carried out. Her husband, who alone can accuse her, dies the victim of contending emotion as he watches her approach her death. The unholy designs of the ambitious Bishop against her are likewise frustrated. For in his wanderings the priest has become possessor, not knowing what it is, of the great symbol of a secret revolutionary society, and this being caught sight of when in agony at the news of his sweetheart's fate he clutches at his cassock, crowds gather and follow him to her rescue.

The book is tumultuous with passion, but all seems natural and justifiable. There is one absurdly impossible character—the Rev. Tobias Hook, but such contrasted characters as the devoted though sinful priest, the ambitious Bishop, the coquettish wife, and the proud Mandarin are drawn with remarkable power. The picture of the mission is certainly not a fancy sketch. Neither can the detailed accounts of the ceremonies of "The Deluge Family," one of the revolutionary societies with which China is honeycombed, be other than a record of actual observation. The story itself is not overpowering in its ingenuity, but in its opening of glimpses into a world all but unknown to the West, it is of very great interest, and in its undeniable penetration of character and power of description it merits the wide attention with which beyond doubt it will receive.

### New Novel by Rex Beach.

"The Barrier" is the title given by Rex Beach to his new novel, which will be brought out this month by Harper & Brothers. It is the first work of fiction written by Mr. Beach since the appearance of "The Spoilers," and, like the latter, it takes for its subject life in Alaska. Mr. Beach has himself played an important part in the Alaskan drama which he describes, a fact that inevitably lends an interest of a special kind to his published narrative.



The diagram above represents the record of the micrometer while the person to whose eye it was harnessed read six lines. The actual reading of the six lines was preceded and followed by two sweeps each way, the pauses (at the ends of the lines only) being indicated by the blurs or blobs. At least five pauses in each of the six lines are similarly indicated, the intermediate jerks and the return sweeps being represented by the lines between. The indentation of the record to the right shows clearly the economy of attention at the ends of the lines.

## MECHANICS OF READING.

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naturally, with fewer pauses, and, not less naturally, "proof-reading requires three times as many pauses as regular reading." There is observed also an indentation in the micrometric record at the points where it represents the ends of lines. The inference is a tendency to skimp attention to the literal text at that point—on faith of the context. The average duration of the flashes or pauses for fast readers was in one set of experiments .185 second, but the variation is very great.

The author inclines to the opinion that the eye in actual movement—that is, in the jerks between pauses and in the return sweep—receives no impressions. But the point is disputed, and complications relating to muscular excitation are introduced. If the author is right the eye is an engine precisely like the vitagraph or moving picture machine. He concludes also that the "reader's eye is usually capable of taking care of as much as nearly half a line" (about twice as long as the lines in this column) at one exposure. The experiments indicate further that words and phrases are recognized by certain "dominant letters," which, being the "most obvious parts optically," have become "through habit most quickly operative in unlocking word recognitions," in ordinary reading "performing their function automatically and without any distinguishable apperceptive act." But "by whatever cues the recognition may be set off, it is certainly a recognition of word-wholes except when these recognition units are subsumed under the recognition of a still larger unit."

It appears that when a paper is laid horizontally across the page so as to bisect a line of print and conceal the lower half, the "recognition units" are much less impaired than when the same thing is done so as to conceal the upper half. And Prof. Javal, one of the investigators, inferred that what he called the eye's "fixation point" moved along between the middle and the top of the small letters. The author is content to say that the upper parts of the words are easier to read because they are "better differentiated there than below, as is shown by Messmer's count of 238 letters projecting above the line to 32 below." Whatever the reason, the fact exists, as you may easily ascertain for yourself by experiment upon any of the lines printed here.

Mr. Huey has made some curious tests with individual words and phrases to ascertain how these symbols produce their intellectual reaction in individual brains—the steps by which the symbol gives rise to a concept. Some very commonplace words tapped, as it were, a feeling, a sentiment, and the concept was afterward abstracted from that complex whole. "By," for instance, induced in one subject an emotion of yearning—from association with "sweet by and by." The mere prepositional value of the word was a secondary product of the suggestive process set in motion by the picture of the two letters on the retina. The word "vertical" gave a distinct "up and down feeling," while the suggestion from the word "starting" was a sort of vague vision of machinery (not specified as any particular machine) getting into motion. To one person the word "tribal" gave "a sort of Western location"—testifying, of course, to the fact that this person's earliest impression of the word "tribe" was gained while reading boyishly about redskins. Another reader, not nurtured upon Indian lore, but brought up in the shadow of the Old Testament, would get perhaps "a sort of Eastern location"—or, maybe, a vision of Moses or Joshua. The ideograph from which all the rest was inferred might be, in one case, a mental picture of an Apache brave in full war paint; in the other bearded Aaron smiting the rock.

Examples, accompanied by cuts, of the use of the Indian sign language and of Egyptian hieroglyphics, serve further to illustrate the nature of these intermediate mental processes. It appears that all that we have done in improving the art of writing is no more than the continuance of a gradual process of substituting a suggestion for a complete picture on the actual writing tablet. Where the hand of the writer formerly made the picture, that hand now simply, as it were, gives the number of the picture in the catalogue. The brain does the rest.

Mr. Huey goes on to inquire whether words are "mentally pronounced" as they are read, and asserts that of "nearly thirty adults tested the large majority found inner speech a part of their ordinary reading. Purely visual reading was not established for any of the readers."

All this refers to consecutive reading—not to the trick of the book sharp who sweeps the pages up and down, and reads only where a catchword or phrase nips his attention—or the man who skims newspapers by a like method, his mind alert only for certain key words or ideographic groups.

The material used is the whole body of reference from the experiments of all the psychologists who have occupied themselves in this curious study, supplemented by the writer's own observations. Mr. Huey has also an interesting section on the history of reading, which must be, in a sort, a history of writing and printing, while the latter part of the book, which cannot be touched upon here, is concerned with the pedagogy and hygiene of reading. The illustrations, by the way, are exceedingly instructive.

## THE CLAN OF THE IRVINGS.

All the Irvings, the Irwins, the Irvines, the Erinveines, and doubtless others of still different spelling, who cherish a remnant of pride in the old Scots border clan will like to know about the history of the clan that has been written by its present chieftain, John Beaufin Irving of Bonshaw, and published by the Rosemount Press of Aberdeen. It is a sumptuous volume, with many excellent illustrations, maps, genealogical tables, armorial bearings in colors, and a copious index. The history of the clan is very complete, beginning with its establishment and coming down to the present, with accounts of all its members who have ever been noted in any way in history, song, or story.

# EXQUISITE STUDY OF DIFFIDENCE

## Victim of Morbid Shyness Writes of His Infirmity—An "Apologia" of Marked Literary Charm.

THIS is a study of shyness.* It is also a study in style. The contents are very well prefigured in the physical facts of the volume. One does not often meet with a volume so attractive in its externals, even in these days.

And that is just what he might incline to say of the contents. It seems inconceivable that the book can be otherwise than essentially autobiographical. Nobody but an inveterately bashful man, one would say, would make so accurate a pathological study of the disease. For a disease it surely is, a psychical which might as well or ill be a physical infirmity, like deafness or stuttering, with which latter, indeed, it seems to be connected. Yet we all know men who in spite of the physical drawbacks noted are the most genial and delightful of companions and are all the fonder of them for the struggle we must divine but are not permitted to witness. The merely shy man gets no credit if he succeeds in his struggle, for his success is the suppression of it. In the present case, actual or supposititious, "the Solitary," as he calls himself, has given up the struggle and fled, betaken himself to solitude and avoided the communion of his kind. It seems a sad fate. But our author lets us know that it has its compensations.

An honest study of this kind would have its interest if the honesty were all that was to be said in its favor. But, as we began by saying, this is a study in style as well as a study of shyness. It is a very flower of culture. The hermit possesses all knowledge that can be of service to him in his task. In particular he is a wanderer familiar not only, as he sets forth, with the highways and byways of England, but with the highways and byways of English literature as well. He knows his way about them in the dark. Especially the "stylists." From Sir Thomas Browne, who, by the way, confesses in a sentence (here taken for a motto) to his own infirmity, down to Pater and Stevenson, there is no English writer who has made a specialty of style whom he does not seem to have laid under contribution for his strange record. The defect of the resulting quality may be, as we have hinted, preciosity, though it always seems to stop well short of affectation. But it goes far enough to tempt the scorner to inquire whether preciosity does not go dangerously close to priggism, and also whether a certain superfine fastidiousness may not be one of the symptoms of the malady. The ungenerous question is the more strongly suggested by the fact that among the author's gifts that of a sense of humor does not seem to be one. As with Sir Thomas, indeed, it is sometimes a question whether the writer's quaintness be conscious or no, in the former of which cases it might be imputed to him for humor. That is one of many question raised by this curious book. However it be answered, one hardly finds anywhere in English prose a happier faculty of sympathetic description of nature, that nature which the Solitary finds his refuge from man. For a specimen, open the volume almost anywhere, and a glance will tell you whether the book was written for you.

> It is with most men a natural desire to take their last rest in some green God's acre, far from the smoke and turmoil of towns, lying in a fair space amid a small company, where there is a wide prospect of tilled lands, and the reapers cut the swathes against the very churchyard wall. And this is my most usual aspiration; yet there are times when I would not shrink in thought from the Valley of Ezekiel, and would be content to be written a mere number in some city of the dead, where at last after all the loneliness of life I should no longer be kept apart, but be gathered to my fellows where they lie in their thousands, and be received a member of their society. And though I well know that it matters not a cummin-seed whether my bones are washed to and fro on the bed of the sea or my ashes cast to the winds of heaven, yet I humor this fancy, and find a quiet pleasure in the thought that death at last may end the isolation.

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*APOLOGIA DIFFIDENTIS. By W. Compton Leith. New York: John Lane Company. 1908. 8vo. Pp. 212. Price $1.50.

# UPTON SINCLAIR'S "THE METROPOLIS"

## A Debauch of Interior Decorations, Orchids, Bathtubs, and Other Wicked Features of Babylonian Luxury.

MR. UPTON SINCLAIR'S new book* is not important, it is not literature, it is not "a good story." To say of it that it has a sneer on every page, and on many an incendiary utterance, might be giving the author too much credit. Mr. Sinclair's sneers are not always intentional, probably, and his incendiary utterances are not those of a combatant. The recurring warning of "another civil war" does not mean that the author is ready to take up arms.

"The Metropolis" is a jumble of odds and ends. The yellow "sensations" of two or three years reappear in a barbarous melange. It has all been done, and much better. The literary manner of Mr. Thomas W. Lawson is more effective than Mr. Sinclair's in this book. The vanity, selfishness, and extravagance of the rich have long been favorite themes of popular story tellers. But as a story teller, in "The Metropolis," Mr. Sinclair is vastly inferior to Pierce Egan, Sylvanus Cobb, Jr., and Mrs. E. D. E. N. Southworth.

As an exposure of vice in New York life, the book might be compared with Solon Robinson's once famous "Hot Corn." That belonged to a simpler epoch, when the well-to-do of the much smaller and plainer metropolis were all God-fearing and respectable. To be solvent then was to be honorable. Vice stalked in the poor neighborhoods. The hideous manner of its stalking in "Hot Corn" caused a general shudder.

We do not believe Mr. Sinclair's picture of vice among the almost fabulously rich of this hour will make anybody shudder. It is all so inept, extravagant, and false. What does Mr. Sinclair know about fashionable New York society? He seems to have studied social life in the restaurants of the Tenderloin, manners in the vaudeville theatres, and the ways of clubdom in chop houses. His personages are labeled freaks. The caricaturists and farceurs have pointed the way for him. His book is full of echoes of newspaper yarns. "Society," that many-headed monster, will not glance at it with one of its many pairs of malevolent eyes. With Mrs. Wharton to picture social shortcomings and the modern equivalent for manners, Mr. Howells to portray minutely the foibles of our typical men and women, and a host of lesser, but still competent, writers, such, for instance, as Robert Chambers, and David Graham Phillips, giving us fresh and entertaining studies of contemporary extravagance and vanity, it is difficult to place Mr. Sinclair at all. As a satirist of society he is hopelessly out of it.

The protagonist in this new and depressing drama of "New York's business and political aristocracy" is Allan Montague, the grave son of a Northern father and a Southern mother, bred in Mississippi, who arrives in New York, wide-eyed and inexperienced, at the age of 30. He has here a brother, who is his antithesis, a light-hearted, unprincipled young man, who has made a great social hit. He lives like a prince and spends money with an extravagance quite beyond the means of a multi-millionaire. He is impossible, but we should not think of criticising the book harshly on that account. It is permissible for a romancer to write romance. Allan is also impossible. A man of 30, admitted to the bar, who could come to New York without precisely the ideas of its wealthy people expressed in Mr. Sinclair's book could never have read the newspapers. Those ideas prevail throughout the country. When Westerners and Southerners come here they learn that they are not true.

The first day Allan is in New York he attends a meeting of the Loyal Legion in a "quiet uptown hotel" with marble pillars and gilded carvings. Interior decorations are Mr. Sinclair's hobby. He indulges in a debauch of bronze doors, marquise furniture, opal glass, polished hardwood floors, vaulted roofs, silver sconces, Flemish tapestries, orchids, jade, and carvings. Like most literary invaders of society, he is strong on bathrooms. One of his multi-millionaire's palaces must have been built in imitation of the New York Athletic Club. If his wicked rich are not clean they are neglectful of their opportunities.

At the Loyal Legion meeting there is a florid description of the Battle of the Wilderness. Then on the way home Allan passes a socialistic street meeting. The keynote has been struck. Then the colors are piled on thickly to describe the kind of life the wicked rich live. The characterizations of the men are utterly commonplace, but the descriptions of the women must have been studied from the wax figures in department store windows. There is scarcely a touch of gentle femininity in it all. The sporty girl, the flirtatious girl, the enticing matrons are all lifeless puppets.

There is a great deal of food. Peaches that cost $10 apiece, grapes grown in paper bags under glass are described by the novelist in a way to make the rural reader sit up, if he had not sat up so many times in response to similar descriptions. The New York correspondents have done this thing to death. But so far as we can remember not one of them ever sat down at a "topsy turvy" lunch in a Long Island roadhouse, with a company of fashionable motorists. Did Upton Sinclair? The menu includes, in this order, baked ice cream, turtle soup, plum pudding, quail in casseroles, cafe parfait, roast beef. Nothing is too grotesque for a socialistic writer in delivering his message to the common people.

In the description of a gay dinner at the hunting lodge—a castle of seventy rooms in a park of 10,000 acres—the only real touch of human nature is Allan Montague's wonder what the servants think about the goings on. Unsophisticated youth always feels that way about the waiters when he is not with a noisy party in a restaurant. If people who have "lodges" on Long Island call "shooting" "hunting," they are not the Anglo-maniacs we have been taught to believe them.

The whole fabric of the book is antique in style, while it is stale in its materials, and lacks the touch of verisimilitude. The financial misdoings, the life insurance exposures, the charges against some well-known men are mixed up in it, to no great effect, and there are amorous imbroglios of small interest, because the personages are so unlifelike. But there is no doubt about the spirit of Mr. Sinclair. He seems inspired by a terrible hatred. There is no love in his socialism. All humanity, except the few who think as he does, are under his ban. His ethics are the ethics of the rat pit.

None of the signs that make many apprehensive persons uneasy appear in "The Metropolis," except the willingness of a few irresponsible creatures to turn discontent to their own pecuniary advantage. Selfishness, extravagance, the lack of brotherly love, the everlasting striving to get ahead, are not confined to the very rich. Some of the wealthiest may set a bad example, but what is the use of free schools, a free government, the means of enlightenment and intellectual progress on every hand, if that comparatively unimportant bad example is to cause an overturning? Moreover, the bad example, as Mr. Sinclair depicts it, only disgusts educated people because of the falsity of the picture, and ought to make the multitude laugh.

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*THE METROPOLIS. By Upton Sinclair. New York: Moffatt, Yard & Co.

## A READABLE AND WELL-WRITTEN NOVEL.

The ill-chosen title, "Tangled Wedlock," by Edgar Jepson, (the McClure Company,) does not prepare us for this very readable and well-written novel. The work is finely tempered, the style one of commendable clarity, and the whole is pervaded by humor. Fundamentally it is the story of a big passion, full of fire, but sane and clean. In hands less discriminating of touch certain episodes might have become what is generally known as suggestive, but Mr. Jepson has too fine a sense of proportion to overcolor an incident for the sake of a questionable effect.

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One unfortunate consequence of this method of treatment, however, is the fact that until one gets well along toward the end of the book one assumes an intention on Mr. Bruce's part to attempt "scientific proof" of survival after death and of the participation of "spirits" in the doings of "mediums." The survival he believes in, but he finally frankly admits the impossibility of its demonstration, and in the shape—though not the substance—of argument only says that, as the deepest-lying of all our selves is not developed here and as its gift to us for no purpose is inconceivable, "logic, therefore, unites with faith to buttress the conviction that there must be a life beyond, a hereafter in which we shall at last come into our complete heritage, at last be veritably as men grown to full stature." That will be convincing to the already convinced, while to others it will seem a begging of the whole question.

Mr. Bruce denies that the "communications" of even a medium as honest and as well developed as Mrs. Piper force, or so much as invite, the belief that they come from the dead. He takes up the phenomena that convinced Hodgson and Hyslop, and insists that telepathy is adequate in every instance for their explanation. As the very existence of telepathy in any form or degree is a point over which the ablest psychologists are still quarreling, Mr. Bruce's conclusions rest upon a foundation obviously insecure, but he at least succeeds in showing that every argument brought by the spiritists against the telepathy assumption is more destructive to their own theory. And that is something; it is even a good deal.

The book contains a large number of admirable ghost stories, drawn from the inexhaustible mine of the Proceedings of the Society for Psychical Research. Best of them all, perhaps, is one in which an American "drummer," while in a hotel writing room and engaged in the particularly canny task of putting in shape for dispatch to his firm the orders taken during the day, looked around and saw sitting beside him a sister who had died a year before. On the cheek of the apparition he saw a slight scratch, and on going home he learned that the girl's mother had accidentally inflicted such an injury while preparing her daughter's body for burial, but had concealed the mark and never revealed its existence until the son spoke of having seen it on the ghost's cheek. Here was "proof" indeed that the dead do walk, but Mr. Bruce ingeniously works the whole affair into the terms of telepathy—so ingeniously that it would be a pity to summarize his exposition.

A passage in Mr. Bruce's book deserving the especial attention of New Yorkers is the one in which he recounts the establishment by the Legislature in 1896 of a Pathological Institute as an educational annex to the State hospital system. Under its first Director, Dr. Van Gieson, the enterprise began most promisingly with a staff of original investigators—valuable results for psychological science and the treatment of the insane were in sight when the politicians decided that the Director was not a "practical" man and drove him out. Since then the institute has been a mere medical kindergarten, of which nobody hears, or ever will hear. Which seems a pity.

The worth of Mr. Bruce's book is much increased by a critical bibliography of his subject, admirably written and covering the whole field fairly well. Curiously enough, it fails to mention the Montpelier school, of which Dr. Grasset is the able head. It would not be pleasant to think that this is because Dr. Grasset holds, and comes near proving, that the subliminal self is lower, not higher, than its conscious rival.

Mr. Bruce makes large, but not very immoderate, claims as to the therapeutic efficacy of suggestion, and his advice on that point is more trustworthy than some the public has received.

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*THE RIDDLE OF PERSONALITY. By H. Addington Bruce. New York: Moffat, Yard & Co. $1.50.

# PHILADELPHIA BOOK NEWS.

"THE History of Truyro Parish," in Virginia, which Jacobs & Co. publish this week, is of public interest chiefy because of its frequent allusions to George Washington. The records of the vestry contain many references to this distinguished member, and some of them are in Washington's own handwriting. The little book will clear up several points concerning the church relations of the "father of his country." The important papers on which it is based were found and preserevd by the late Rev. Dr. Philip Slaughter, who left the history incomplete. It has been filled out and edited by the Rev. Edward L. Goodwin, historiographer of the Diocese of Virginia.

It is stated that Miss Elizabeth McClellan, author of "Historic Dress in America," (1607-1800,) is now engaged upon a second volume to be issued under the same title, which will cover the period from 1800 to the present time. Miss McClellan has secured much material for illustrating this volume, not the least interesting of which are many original garments. These will be used in the drawing of the figures to be shown on the numerous colored plates that are to illustrate the volume. Jacobs & Co. are the publishers.

Lippincotts will publish three novels in April in this order: "The Master Influence," by Thomas McKean, a Philadelphian, author of "The Vortex"; "In the Dead of Night," by John T. McIntire, also a Philadelphian, and "The Duchess of Dreams," by Edith Macvane, whose name is well known on the fiction lists of the magazines.

Sydney George Fisher, whose new history of the Revolution, "The Struggle for American Independence," in two volumes, will appear under the Lippincott imprint in April, is now making final revisions of the proofs of the work.

In April Lippincotts will publish "Persia: The Awakening East," by W. P. Cresson.

### Col. Mosby on the Gettysburg Campaign.

A book that is calculated to form a decidedly important contribution to the history of the civil war, and which has been in preparation for a long period, is promised for this month by Moffat, Yard & Co. The title of the book is "Stuart's Cavalry in the Gettysburg Campaign." The author, Col. John S. Mosby, was the famous Confederate scout who guided Stuart's Cavalry in their raid around McClellan's army, and whose various exploits are among the oft-told incidents of the war. For the past twenty-five years Col. Mosby has practiced law in San Francisco, and it was during this period that he published his "War Reminiscences." The forthcoming volume, in which Col. Mosby devotes his attention to certain mooted points in regard to the Gettysburg campaign, is his second literary venture dealing with the civil war.

### Completing Mark Twain's Works.

The American Publishing Company of Hartford, Conn., has just issued the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth volumes of Mark Twain's collected writings in order to complete the sets of the various uniform editions published by them. These volumes are important ones, and contain many of the stories, sketches, and articles written by Mr. Clemens during the last five years, and also a number of earlier stories, which a careful search, under Mr. Clemens's supervision, has brought to light, and which, in many cases, rank with his best work.

# WHY PROSPERITY IS LANGUISHING

## Timely Contribution to Modern Political Economy — Novel and Anti-Socialist Theory of Production.*

No less an authority than the President of the United States, and he but a little while ago, told Americans that they need not worry about the economic conditions of the United States. They needed only to go about their business as usual, and all would be well. It cannot be said that events have justified this advice. Things have gone badly since then, and they are not improving as most would wish. Instead of a shortage of freight cars, there are 350,000 idle, and the empty freight car threatens to displace the full dinner pail as a campaign cry. Mr. Hawley's book was not written to explain why this is so, but his novel and original contribution to political economy derives much interest from the fact that it does give this explanation, and incidentally puts a spoke in the advancing wheel of Socialism.

There is now touring the United States in support of a Socialist candidate for the Presidency, preferably himself, a man acquitted of murder, whose slogan is that there is impending "war to the end between the workingman who produces all wealth and enjoys none of it and the capitalist who produces none of the wealth and enjoys all of it. We as the workers and producers of wealth are trying to overturn this system and get what is ours by natural right." That is a broad claim. Even if it were true before the days of machinery and power plants, it cannot be true of a time when muscular labor has most of its work done for it, so to speak. Coarse labor, mere manual and muscular effort, certainly does not produce everything. Even skilled labor for the most part finds its function in the modern productive economy to be chiefly to feed machines. The machine represents capitalism, and explains the difference between a day's labor produced with and without the help of capital. This difference cannot wholly belong to labor any more than it can wholly belong to capital. On the principle that to every worker belongs exactly what he or she produces, no more, no less, it is demonstrable that labor gets more than its share. Indisputably trades unionists get more than unorganized laborers, and therefore more than falls to labor qua labor. This has been remarked before, although no more clearly than by Mr. Hawley.* Where he introduces a novelty is in claiming—very tritely, as it appears, after he has made it clear—that there is a share which belongs neither to capital nor to labor, nor to both. Labor gets its wages, and that is all it is entitled to. Capital gets interest, or rent, and that is all capital is entitled to. Neither initiates anything or takes risks. Obviously labor does not, and where capital seems to, it appears on analysis that the surplus is not extortion, but insurance against risk—and these are not the times to argue that capital does not need that insurance. Left to labor and capital alone the economic machine would run down for lack of a mainspring. The case would be the same if capital and labor were united, as the Socialists propose. There would be no initiative, or at least a deficiency of initiative, as compared with present conditions, which perhaps may be said to have suffered from an excess of initiative, from overexploitation by ingenious and optimistic persons who were convinced that they can add two and two in a manner to make five—and often did so. The ordinary man makes the total four. The exceptional man does that sum in a way to give himself the difference, which he discovers or creates at risk if he fails. All that the laborer has to offer for sale is his power to coordinate material things in time and space. But what the laborer does with material things the entrepreneur—Mr. Hawley calls him the enterpriser—does with ideas. Labor loses wages, and capital loses interest, when the enterprisers are discouraged. Opportunities are now being neglected which but a few months ago would have been seized, and work found for both muscle and money. But the unemployed are parading and the bank reserves are piling up, and freight cars are being hauled over the lines empty, because the co-ordinators of ideas are not sure of their profit, as either capital or labor, of interest and wages. Yet labor thinks it produces everything and capital nothing. Capital does not argue—it does not need to. The man who is indispensable to both is frightened out of the field, and that is why things are not doing as well as the President and the American people would like to have them. Mr. Hawley's development of the function of the enterpriser in modern economics may be commended to Mr. Haywood, or to those who would like to differ with Mr. Haywood intelligently.

On one point it is necessary to insert a query mark in Mr. Hawley's theory. He remarks that it takes eighteen years to produce a laborer, and that laborers are not raised for the market or for gain. There results, he says, an inelasticity of labor compared with capital. For example, a year ago there was a deficiency of labor, which obviously had no relation to laborers born last year. And just now there is a surplus of labor, which equally obviously has no relation to the labor market of eighteen years from now. "While enterprise, opportunity, and capital adjust themselves to the fluctuating conditions of business by changes in their amounts, increasing or decreasing in comparatively quick response to an increase or decrease in the demand, there are practically just as many available laborers competing for employment when business it dull as when it is active." That is curious doctrine to be born in America of all countries in the world. There may be some truth in it for some countries, but assuredly a minimum as regards the United States. In 1900 there were 10,460,085 persons of foreign birth in the United States. They may not all have been laborers, but enough of them were so to put Mr. Hawley on the defensive in this respect. And the argument is growing stronger rather than weaker. In the years 1891-1900 the foreign arrivals were 3,687,564, or fewer than in the years 1901-1905. Immigrant arrivals for the latest complete years are now at the rate of a million a year. Certainly the cost of raising them and bringing them here is an economic burden, but it does not fall upon this country. There can hardly be a doubt that this important source of labor supply was responsive to the demand from this country, the proof of it lying in the fact that the emigration from the United States has been as marvelous in the past few months as the immigration. This is a new economic factor, corresponding to the migration of gold from financial capital to capital in search of the best market for its employment. Plainly our present position is better than it would be if our present unemployed were enlarged by the 109,151 emigrants during January and February. During 1908 thirteen emigrants have left the United States for each immigrant arriving, this year's immigration having shrunk to the smallest in years, although only last year it was the greatest known.

When Secretary Straus was asked as to whether he drew any conclusion from the figures, he said:

"They seem to point to the fact that immigration and emigration are much like affairs in the business world. They adjust themselves to conditions."

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*ENTERPRISE AND THE PRODUCTIVE PROCESS. By Frederick Barnard Hawley, formerly Treasurer of the American Economic Association. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons. Pp. 467. $1.50.

## A Novelist's Idea of Clothes.

It is related by those who ought to know that at a certain social gathering recently an enthusiastic admirer greeted Mrs. O. Henry, the wife of the novelist, who was present on the occasion, with a burst of unconcealed delight. "Oh, Mrs. O. Henry," she exclaimed, "I have been just longing for this opportunity—and I am sure you will not deny me. Could you—will you—tell me why it is that your husband always dresses his heroines in crêpe de chine?" The query proved too much for Mrs. O. Henry, who accordingly referred the matter that evening to her husband. After a painful interval of silence the novelist replied, with a somewhat feeble attempt at a smile, "Why, the fact is, my dear, there are only two kinds of material used for feminine clothing with which I am personally familiar. One of these is crêpe de chine and the other is calico. Now, on thinking the matter over carefully, it did not seem appropriate to dress a heroine in calico, so I adopted the simple and happy expedient of arraying them all in crêpe de chine."

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## THE ADJECTIVE.

THE heading over a diminutive item published in these columns a fortnight ago has attracted a surprising degree of attention. It suggested the advantage of economy in the use of adjectives. All experienced writers understand that a chief sin of the inexperienced is the abuse of this part of speech. The schoolgirl's essay invariably abounds in adjectives; it is full to running over with phrases supposed to be descriptive of attributes, qualities, or conditions. Nothing is mentioned without the ascription to it of pretty much all that, with the utmost exercise of imagination, can be distinguished regarding it. At this point might be inserted a thousand illustrations, taken from current writings, of the tendency. They are needless.

It would seem to be bad enough that nothing can be spoken of unless accompanied by descriptions of it; it is a further regret that the descriptions are in most cases unessential, inappropriate to the occasion, inadequate as descriptions, and indicative of a lack of observative and descriptive ability rather than of an overactive exercise of it. Our remark took notice only of the disposition to characterize where characterization was unnecessary. The comment upon our remark indicates a widespread impression that the characterization generally indulged in is not only unnecessary, but formal, empty, idle, and meaningless. The power to describe has been in large degree lost. The appreciative ability which enables one who feels upon him the necessity to characterize to do so with point and meaning has vanished. A correspondent calls attention to a report in The Boston Transcript of even date with our editorial, of an address by President Eliot at a Phillips Exeter Academy anniversary, in which the learned head of Harvard University animadverted to the subject. Dr. Eliot said:

> It is a curious phenomenon of the day that the educated young men seldom talk English. One of my grandsons recently received a letter from a cousin who has the misfortune to be studying this Winter in a boarding school in Switzerland. He is not pleased with his surroundings, with the school, nor with the sports which are open to him. He complained of all these things in his letter. My grandson read the letter and then threw in on the table, remarking, "Terrible dearth of adjectives!"
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> I read it through. There was only one adjective in the entire note, and that adjective was used many times. That adjective was "rotten."
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> And this difficulty is not confined by any means to schoolboys. One night in Sanders Theatre an English gentleman gave a lecture as good in form as in matter. He chanced to interest a Harvard graduate, whose interests in college had been chiefly athletic. He came on to the platform and expressed to the lecturer his approbation. And he, too, used his one adjective. He said, "Mr. Blank, that was bully."
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> I recently listened to the conversation of two graduates of Harvard, men now 35 years old, perhaps. And if I were not familiar with the language of the football field and the broker's board, I should have had to ask what they meant. Their conversation is chiefly derived from these two classical sources. I plead, therefore, for storing the mind with more words of power, phrases of elegance and virtue.

"Words of power," "phrases of elegance and virtue" have their place and use. The adjective is not, however, the word of power. A thing is better described by a statement of what it does than by an attribution to it of qualities. Speak in verbs, that is, rather than adjectives. Use the adjective discriminatingly, of course, if you use it at all. But use it sparingly. The etymological evidence in the case is not misleading; the verb is indeed "the word"—the word of power and importance. Examine the work of the writers who move you: you will find they write in words of motion—in verbs.

## ROMANCES IN LITTLE.

"FLOWER O' THE ORANGE," by Agnes and Egerton Castle, (The Macmillan Company, $1.50,) is a collection of short stories, seven in all, each of them showing those distinguishing marks of romantic imagination and excellent craftsmanship which distinguish all the work of these collaborating writers of romance. There is in them so much incident, movement, and romantic quality that each is a sort of diminutive romance in itself. They are all historic. Two of them, "The Young Conspiracy," and "The Great White Deeps," deal with the efforts centring around the Young Pretender to put him upon the throne. Another, "My Rapier and My Daughter," goes back three hundred years and more, and tells the story of an Italian master of fencing and his lovely daughter in the London of the Virgin Queen's later years. The others come on through the years until they reach the early Georgian period, wherein there is a pretty little comedy of love that waited long and faithfully and finally won its reward.

The book takes its title from that of the first story, a dashing love tale of a Scotch lord and of the high-handed and outlandish proceeding by which he won a bride within a few hours of his first meeting with her. The colored frontispiece of the book is a very engaging presentment of this same Italo-Scotch young woman, who, in the midst of the high-handed proceeding, won her way to the lord's heart by stabbing in the neck an insulting gallant. The stories are all spiced well with adventure of one sort or another, the most of them have enough of mystery in the unfolding of their plots to keep the reader dashing on with something of the same eagerness as that which inspires their reckless young heroes, their misty and somewhat rose-colored atmosphere of ancient times is always pleasant, and the gracefully genial humor which marks the attitude of the authors toward their story and its characters adds a pleasing flavor. Such stories are meant for nothing more than the entertainment of an idle hour, and when they are as well told as are these they serve their purpose very well.

### Lincoln and the Mountaineers.

Of reminiscences of President Lincoln there is no end—nor does there seem to be any end to the demand for them. The latest of these are from the pen of Gen. O. O. Howard, and will be published in The Century for next month. Chief among these forthcoming reminiscences is the incident which suggested the establishment of the Lincoln Memorial University for the benefit of the mountaineers of the Cumberland region of Kentucky, Tennessee, and Virginia, an institution which was started through the efforts of Gen. Howard eight years ago.

## GOSSE'S BIOGRAPHY OF HENRIK IBSEN

### Critic Contends that Norwegian's Inspiration Was Dramatic Rather than Ethical—William Archer's Comments.

AT this late day to take up cudgels in defense of Henrik Ibsen would indeed be a work of supererogation. "There are no serious adversaries," as Mr. Gosse pithily remarks. The Sturm und Drang of controversy has passed; the life work of a master mind is placed before us, singularly complete and finished; it is possible now as never before to consider and in part at least to appraise the man and his labors. Mr. Gosse's admirable "Life" and Mr. Archer's careful edition of the plays* are issued at a time when a steadily growing general interest renders them especially valuable.

Ibsen was born in 1828 and died in 1906; he wrote, besides a good deal of lyrical poetry of varying merit, a score of dramas which have revolutionized the dramaturgic ideas of our time. The preface to "Cromwell" and the rule-shattering first line of Hugo's play sink into insignificance when compared with the last act of "A Doll's House"; when Nora and Helmer sit down face to face, "to have it out," the death knell of the old theatrical technique was rung. But "A Doll's House" did not appear until 1879, and Ibsen had served his apprenticeship to the stage long before—it was as severe as Molière's at Carcassone or Shakespeare's at the Globe. Both Mr. Archer and Mr. Gosse emphasize the fact that Ibsen wrote primarily for the stage. The plays of larger significance are not closet plays; they are supremely of the theatre. It may be true that he formulated no precise philosophy of life and conduct. He questioned society and the moral order, and his questions were epochal. But he made few attempts to answer them. Mr. Archer remarks:

> I do not believe that this creator of men and women ever started from an abstract conception. The germ in his mind was dramatic, not ethical; it was only as the drama developed that its meanings dawned upon him; and he left them implicit and fragmentary, like the symbolism of life itself, seldom formulated, never worked out with schematic precision.

Beneath all his austerity and asceticism is an almost passionate comprehension of humanity, and of this we have heard far too little from commentators and actors—a comprehension so complete that its very measure of fullness sometimes obscures its utterance. His provincialisms had a direct dramatic value for those audiences which he wished, first of all, to reach; but they, too, have an obscuring effect, sending the unwary commentator on a tangental hunt for symbols and "interpretations." This is not to deprecate the immense value of such critical exposition as Mr. Archer's. None the less there are comparatively few persons who possess the visualizing faculty necessary for the comprehending reading of plays.

In his mastery of technique, Ibsen stands alone; the few modern playwrights of note follow his formulae as best they can. As documents of social revolution, his plays have largely lost their thrill. So far as he preached anything definitely, he preached individualism; but he also pointed out its dangers. "A Doll's House" is the only play which conclusively and without inherent contradictions places before us a problem and its solution. The slam of the door as Nora leaves her husband's home is an answer as well as an indictment.

And surely Ibsen's treatment of Nora Helmer is sufficient refutation of the charge that he was without tenderness. There is tenderness, too, in the portrait of Brand's Agnes, and an illuminating moment of pathos in the last act of "Hedda Gabler." Of passion there is very little, unless we except Rita in "Little Eyolf," and the spectral love of Rebekka West. There is nothing in Ibsen "to trouble the senses of those who wish their senses troubled." Whatever of pure hedonism there may have been in his nature was stifled by the dreary poverty and humiliating struggles of his early years; the beauty he expressed objectively is fantastic in "Peer Gynt," mystic in "Brand," sombre in "Ghosts" and "Hedda Gabler." It is always the dynamic beauty of souls in travail or revolt. Only once in the later and greater plays does he, so to speak, let himself go, and that is in the one drama which is known to be autobiographical, "The Master Builder." Mr. Archer was happily inspired when he spoke of "the pure melody of the piece."

It is peculiar that Ibsen, whose influence has been so great, was himself practically uninfluenced by any of his predecessors. He was not a widely read, or even, in the narrower sense, a cultured man. Music meant nothing to him; he spoke no foreign language other than German, and that without distinction; for philosophical and metaphysical systems he entertained what amounted to contempt, and he would seem to have had slight historic sense. He did appreciate a certain class of paintings, and, indeed, in his youth had an ambition to become an artist. (In this connection it may be of interest to mention that a letter recently came under the notice of the reviewer in which there was offered for sale in New York a landscape painted by Ibsen, the price being a modest $500.) An Arnold Böcklin may have been lost to us, but we gained a writer who could say of himself, "What I chiefly tried to do [in "Hedda Gabler"] was to paint human beings, human emotions, and human fate against a background of some of the conditions and laws of society as it exists to-day." His interest was centred in humanity and his attitude was one of mingled comprehension and scorn.

This attitude he carried into his private life. He had friends, but he did not cultivate them; to Georg Brandes he wrote: "Friends are a costly luxury, and when one has devoted one's self wholly to a profession and a mission here in life there is no place left for friends." The more intimate human relationships he treated similarly; for thirty years no word passed between his parents and himself, though for his wife he seems to have entertained a sincere affection. Time and again he antagonized Björnson, and quarreled with others of less importance. There was an element of perversity in him—"a scorpion in his heart"—but as he grew older he buttoned his emotions tightly under his famous frock coat and retreated into an almost impenetrable reserve, only revealing his fiery spirit in those outbursts of anger which now and again startled Europe.

"Ibsen was simplicity itself," writes Mr. Gosse. "No man was ever less affected. But he was perpetually on the defensive." He was seldom confidential.

He was, of course, keenly observant; it seemed amazing to him that people could go into a room and not notice the pattern of the carpet, the color of the curtains, the ornaments and the pictures. Yet he seems to have been lacking in any sort of homage to his own penates. Even in the days of his wealth there was a singular absence of individuality about his dwelling rooms. Mr. Gosse describes him as phlegmatic rather than morose. "His dumbness was not so bitterly ironical as it was popularly supposed to be. It came largely from a very strange passivity which made definite action unwelcome to him." He cared nothing for society, yet had an insatiable curiosity as to who was present at any social affair, what was said, what everybody wore. In later life he was a familiar; solitary figure in the streets and cafés, peering through gold-rimmed spectacles at the minutiae of existence.

Politics did not interest him, and he had the artist's innate distrust of democratic and Socialistic theories. Aside from his restless wanderings from place to place and the production of one play after another, his life was singularly uneventful. His domestic life was apparently irreproachable, if we except the brief episode in which Miss Barduch figures. His letters reveal little of himself, and Ibsen remains for us more enigmatic than the most cryptic of his plays.

To humanize this Sphinx is plainly Mr. Gosse's aim; if he has not wholly succeeded, he has at least given us a most interesting, sane, and authoritative biography; in connection with Mr. Archer's valuable criticisms and careful editing in the new edition of the plays, it furnishes rich material for the student and general reader.

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# ENGLISH PLAN FOR ENDOWED THEATRE

## Details of Messrs. Archer and Barker's Scheme Capable of Modification for Trial Here.

There has hitherto been one enormous obstacle to the establishment of a national theatre in England. However willing a man or body of men might be to give a new impulse to the art of the theatre and place England abreast of France and Germany in respect of theatrical organization, he or they could have no definite idea how to set about it. A public park, a picture gallery, or a free library is very easily created, and once created it practically "runs itself." There are a hundred recognized models for this organization and management. But an endowed theatre is, in England, a wholly unfamiliar piece of mechanism, and the management of it an unknown art; while there are many reasons why no foreign institution of the kind could be imitated in detail with any hope of success. There is no clear-cut channel, as it were, in which liberality and public spirit can easily flow in the direction of theatrical reform. It is scarcely an exaggeration to say that you can buy a free library or a picture gallery ready made, and present it as a "going concern" to whatever community you please. But the man who desired to endow a theatre would have first to invent it—a laborious task for which he would probably have no preparation and no facilities. In the following pages we take this task off his hands.

IN this statement of the facts, applicable to our own country as well, the Messrs. Archer and Barker justify the purpose they had in mind in preparing their "Schemes and Estimates for a National Theatre," originally issued four years ago in London, and now appearing in an American edition, which should be widely read.* For lovers of the theatre it will have all the attractiveness of a fascinating romance. And yet a careful consideration of its promises will hardly lead any fair-minded man to lay it aside as the wholly impossible dream of theatre idealists, though the Messrs. Archer and Barker are assuredly idealists in a sense, or they would not be found engaged upon this elaborate discussion of a plan which, for the present at any rate, does not seem at all likely to be realized. But they have gone about the work in the right spirit, and the premise is sound upon which their argument is based.

Such a theatre as they outline would be an excellent thing if it could be managed, and if, from the outset, the properly qualified individual were on hand to run it. For when all is said and done, the finality of success or failure of the enterprise would rest upon an individual—a peculiarly gifted person uniting, in about equal degrees, the qualities of business acumen, artistic sensitiveness, and prophetic insight into the shifting demands of public taste.

Capital for the enterprise one or more men might provide, and the authors of this book present very plausibly the basis upon which such donations need not be regarded as absolute loss, even in the event of the institution's failure.

To opposition based on the prejudices of the "democratic spirit" the Messrs. Archer and Barker naturally have given no consideration, but they foresee the bugbear of local pride and plan to meet it. In his preface to the American edition Mr. Archer writes that in this country it might be advisable to substitute "city" theatre for "national" theatre, inasmuch as "New York would scarcely concede National preeminence to a threatre established in Washington, nor Chicago to a theatre established in New York. * * * There are at least half a dozen—perhaps a dozen—cities in the United States quite capable of supporting a theatre on the scale of that which is here outlined."

He then suggests that in the appointment of the Directors one nomination apiece (for a New York theatre) should go to the Governor of the State, Columbia University, Cornell University, Vassar College, and possibly Yale University, (which is within New York's sphere of influence;) the remaining eight or nine members to be appointed or elected by the donor or donors of the site and building. These Trustees should appoint a director and general staff, receive and pass upon the director's annual report, artistic and financial, serve as a court of appeal from the decisions of the director, and perform the functions of a supreme governing body.

The general staff should consist of the director, a literary manager, a business manager, a solicitor, and a reading committeeman. The director is to be in absolute control of everything in and about the theatre, engagement of actors, casting of parts, &c., excepting only the selection of plays, which would devolve upon a reading committee of three—the director, the literary manager, and the reading committeeman.

In their scheme Messrs. Archer and Barker agree that "before the enterprise can be set on foot there are three things to be provided—the site, the building, and a guarantee fund." The site, they suggest, the city in which the theatre is to be established, might be induced to donate. The building, they hope, would be the gift of some one interested in the movement or guaranteed by several such donors, while the guarantee fund (to be reinvested and earn an income) could doubtless be raised by subscriptions. The building should be plain, and little if any money spent in ornate decoration. The site need not necessarily be ideally central, but should be easily accessible. The donors of both the site and the building would, in a measure, be guaranteed against loss should the venture fail, as they would be protected by a sort of first mortgage upon them. The site in London, they figure, would represent an investment of $370,000 and the building $300,000, (of which $50,000 would be spent on the stage,) and they would not feel safe without a guarantee fund of $750,000. This would represent an original outlay approximately of $1,500,000. The authors say:

> In the event of success, the artistic, social, and even political benefits of the institution would be cheaply bought. It would restore the English drama to that honorable place among the intellectual achievements of the race which it has for so long forfeited, and it would be a radiating centre for the best artistic influences. In the event of utter failure, on the other hand, the whole sum would not be, so to speak, thrown into the seas, as more than twice that amount would be in the loss of a single battleship. If the enterprise entirely failed and had to be liquidated under the conditions set forth in the statutes all contributors to it would "stand to lose" from 50 to 60 per cent. (but not more) of their respective contributions.

After arranging an experimental répertoire including thirty-four tragedies, dramas, and comedies, and six one-act plays, these National Theatre enthusiasts decided that they would require a company containing forty-two actors and twenty-four actresses—sixty-six players, as compared with the fifty-five on the rolls of the Comédie Française in 1903, and the seventy-seven available for productions in the Vienna Burgtheater in 1902.

Twelve of the forty-two actors and eight of the twenty-four actresses, they assume, will be "young people as yet unknown." The others are to be artists of established reputation. They propose a minimum salary ranging from $4,500 to $1,250 a year for the men, and from $3,500 to $1,000 for the women, with a stipulated fee for each performance in which a player engages, and a guarantee of a certain number of performances each year. Thus the actual income of the men would range from $7,000 a year for the leading man (his bonus being $25 a performance) to $1,565 for the minor members of the company, (with bonuses of $2.50 a performance,) while the women's salaries would run from $5,575 to $1,380, and the bonuses from $25 to $5.

It is also planned to have a pension fund and to establish a system of furloughs, by which a player may be "loaned" to a traveling organization, to make possible the withdrawal of any actor or actress whenever he or she acquired a personal following that would justify an independent experiment.

The general conditions of employment suggested are such as would certainly appeal to most artists in the theatre.

The authors admit that while the specimen repertory selected four years ago would probably have to be considerably altered, it gives a good indication of what they believe would be a reasonable selection of plays for such a movement.

In this list modern playwrights are represented by Pinero, Jones, Carton, Wilde, Chambers, Stevenson and Henley, Labiche and Grundy, Gilbert, Brieux, Maeterlinck, and Sudermann. To these they would add the names of Ibsen, Shaw, Hauptmann, and probably a number of others who in this short space of time have already ceased being entirely caviare to the general. Nine of Shakespeare's plays are scheduled, and one each of Robertson's, ("Caste";) Congreve's, ("Love for Love";) Molière's, ("Don Juan";) Jonson's, ("Every Man in His Humor";) Sheridan's, ("The Critic";) Bulwer Lytton's, ("Money";) and Tennyson's, ("The Falcon.") Seven new plays to be selected by the committee are also arranged for.

There are to be no long runs, but it is wisely provided that should a play or a revival score a "hit," it may be repeated three or four times each week as long as the director may deem its continuance advisable.

The authors declare:

> It is not an advanced theatre we are designing. The great subsidized theatres of the Continent are not "advanced" theatres. It is not their business to be far ahead of the time, but to be well abreast of it. Sometimes, no doubt, they fall even in that duty, but as a rule they perform it reasonably well. They follow, more or less cautiously, more or less eclectically, in the wake of the "advanced" theatres, and that is as it should be. Outposts are necessary to the army of progress, but no army can be all outposts, and where the main body is out of touch with its pioneers they pioneer in vain. The theatre we have in view forms part, and an indispensable part, of the main army of progress. It will neither compete with the outpost theatres nor relieve them of their functions. It is the business of the outposts to press on, to try this path and that, sometimes to blunder and find themselves in an untenable position, or in a "no thoroughfare." The main body, profiting by their experience, tries to avoid their errors, and through that division of labor the general advance goes on steadily and securely, with no risk of a serious setback.

Which is a sensible presentation of the case.

This much may be said—and said in all kindness for the benefit of those gentlemen who are about to undertake a private enterprise on somewhat similar lines in New York City, that the whole National theatre movement in this country will be largely affected by the success or failure of their project. If they are proceeding unselfishly with a genuine desire to provide a fair and intelligent experiment of what such a theatre may accomplish, they will be entitled to all the praise due to pioneers and public benefactors. If, on the other hand, the scheme in reality has its basis in a commercial motive, it may eventually be their dubious satisfaction to know that they have delayed by many years the consummation of any plan looking forward to a betterment of dramatic conditions in this country. Such a betterment is much to be desired, and though in details it may differ, the ultimate attainment will be somewhat along the lines suggested in this book.

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*SCHEMES AND ESTIMATES FOR A NATIONAL THEATRE. By William Archer and Granville Barker. In one volume. Pp. 177. Boards. New York: Duffield & Co. $2.50.

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### Last Days of "Ouida."

*New York Times Saturday Review of Books:*

As one who was present at the funeral of "Ouida, (Mlle. de la Ramée,) and who was personally acquainted with the authoress, I can assure her many American admirers, that everything possible was done for her during the last year of her life, and all due respect paid to her memory at the British Cemetery at Bagni di Lucca. These last sad arrangements were in the able hands of the British Vice Consul at Leghorn, Mr. Montgomery Carmichael, himself a well-known author, and in every respect they were suitable.

As you correctly state, an allowance from the Civil List was made to her of £150 per annum. I am informed that an offer of this was made some years ago by Mr. Arthur Balfour's Government, which was refused by "Ouida," I believe on account of her strong disapproval of the policy of that Government in respect to the Boers. I know from some of her last letters to me how much she was opposed to our South African policy. When, however, the present Liberal Government came into power the offer was again made, and then accepted.

When she died, "Ouida" had four dogs, all of which have been taken care of by different friends. It is certainly true that the house here in which she resided was not kept very clean, but this was largely due to her canine pets, and I can assure you that the authoress was not a lady to whom it was very easy to offer advice.

FRANCIS P. FLETCHER-VANE,
Captain.

77 Via Garibaldi, Viareggio, Italy, Feb. 29.

### Italian Books.

Francesco Tocci of 520 Broadway, importer of Italian books, has lately received the following: D'Annunzio, "La Nave"; G. B. Vico's "Annali," Marco Praga's "L'Amico" Commedia; Arturo Graf's "Ecce Homo," and Capt. Duse's "Al Polo Sud."

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# VIEWS OF READERS.

## Correspondents Differ Over the Meaning of the Maxim "Exceptio Probat Regulam"—Appreciation of "On the Knees of the Gods"—An Unfamiliar Americanism—"Somehow Good."

### I.

*New York Times Saturday Review of Books:*

ISN'T Mr. Bewley, like those who misuse "Exceptio probat regulam," afflicted with ignorance of both English and Latin? Does either "probare" or "to prove," mean "to show to be true" in its first sense? David refused Saul's armor because he had not tested it. A will is tested in a probate court.

Skeat gives "test" as the first meaning of prove, and quotes "the exception tests the rule" as an example. One of my Latin masters, also a teacher of English, taught his classes the same thing. It seems to me that this affliction about "Probat" began when children ceased to read about David and Goliath.

Leverett's Lexicon gives "To consider as good, to approve, to be satisfied with, dokimazo, as the first meaning of 'probo.'" the fourth meaning is to make credible, apodeiknumi. Dr. Anthon does the same. B.

Boston, March 11.

### II.

*New York Times Saturday Review of Books:*

In The Saturday Review of Books of Feb. 29 there was an editorial which referred to the saying, "Exceptions prove the rule." The editorial said that many people have found this saying without meaning, and they have tried to read a meaning into it. Definitions of the maxim were quoted, from the "Dictionary of Phrase and Fable" and from Bohn's "Dictionary of Classical Quotations," staing that because an exception exists there must be a rule. The editorial also said that Mr. E. D. Bewley, writing to The London Spectator, tried to explain the maxim, by saying that, "Exception proves (or confirms) the rule (or law) in the cases not excepted." It was said that Mr. Bewley's explanation makes the maxim "clear and sensible."

Neither in the light of dictionary definitions nor Mr. Bewley's reasoning does the saying, "Exceptions prove the rule," stand out in its true meaning. Given as proof that exceptions prove (or confirm) rules, the saying is illogical and perfect nonsense. Prof. George Pierce Baker of Harvard in his book, "The Principles of Argumentation," shows on Page 139 that the strict etymological meaning of the word "proves" is "to test," from the Latin "probo," to test. Exceptions neither prove the existence nor confirm a rule. Exceptions test a rule.

HAROLD KORN.

Columbia University, March 12.

### III.

*New York Times Saturday Review of Books:*

E. D. Bewley's explanation of the famous maxim, "The exception proves the rule," and your neat exposition thereof in last Saturday's issue seem to be the last word on a traditional verbal puzzle. Students of classical Latin, including Thomas De Quincey, have often pointed out that "probare" was never used in the sense of "to prove," "to demonstrate," or "to confirm," but, according to a well-known Latin lexicographer, "to try, test, examine, inspect, judge of anything in respect of its goodness, fitness," &c.; and their explanation of the maxim has been that the rule, being tested by an exception, remains a rule or fails as one by the presence or non-presence of an exception.

The unfortunate circumstance about this explanation is that "exceptio probat regulam" is neither classical nor ecclesiastical Latin, but mediaeval academic Latin, and in this language "probare" has the meaning of the Italian word "provare," i. e., "to prove, demonstrate, confirm." For example, we read in Benvenuto da Imola: "nam per hoc autor dat intelligi quod foeneratores peccant per violentiam, ut alibi supra probatum est," ("because the author explains that usurers sin violently as we demonstrated above in another passage.") It is quite evident that this distinguished lecturer on Dante at the University of Bologna did not use "probatum est" in the classical sense. Doubtless many other examples might be readily found in the writings of educated men of his times. W. L.

New York, March 12.

### Mrs. Dodd's Novel.

*New York Times Saturday Review of Books:*

I was sorry to see under the heading of "Feverish Fiction" in The Saturday Review of Books of Feb. 29, what I believe to be an injustice done to the Greek novel, "On the Knees of the Gods," by Mrs. Anna Bowman Dodd. Being myself fresh from its leisurely perusal, and under the spell of its vivid narrative and charming setting, I must raise a voice of protest against the verdict of your reviewer. One remembering the old thrill of the "Last Days of Pompeii" and the glory of "Salammbo," will welcome this delightful study of Athenian life, with its romantic love story, and picturesque surroundings. Mrs. Dodd's book has unusual and admirable qualities, and will appeal to those who love Greek art and literature and the enchanting land that gave them birth.

Even your critic finally admits "a fresh passion in some of the love passages, and a delight in pictorial scenes and natural beauty," and finds the story as a whole "not without interest and excitement."

New York, March 10. C. E.

### An Americanism.

*New York Times Saturday Review of Books:*

Twenty years ago or more I heard a resident of the town of Charlotte, Vt., say, in speaking of an entertainment given by amateurs from an adjoining town, "I guess it didn't amount to much; 'twas only a kind of spero," and upon my inquiring what "spero" meant, she confessed that she hardly knew, herself. It was a word old people sometimes used, and was applied to anything in the nature of a lark, or that "didn't amount to much." Delighted at the discovery of an Americanism not in "Bartlett," I sent a letter to The Nation, asking whether any of its readers could throw light on the origin and true meaning of the word, but no satisfactory replies were received, "spero" being unfamiliar to the writers. The keen eye of Prof. Peck of Columbia discovered my letter, and "spero" was transferred to his article on "Americanisms" in the new "International."

Not long before the death of Roland H. Robinson, I spent a morning at his house and referred the question to that master of Vermont dialect, who in "Uncle 'Lisha's Shop," uses "carummux" in much the same significance. He told me he had heard the word only once, and had no idea how it originated. Later I came across a native of Bristol, who assured me he had often heard "spero" used in his youth, and that it was usually applied to small doings, especially those of a prankish nature. That same Summer I met Mr. Charles Orvis of Manchester, who said the word was current there thirty years ago, as a semi-polite term for spree, from which he supposed it to be derived; an ingenious guess that, but by no means conclusive.

Now here is a word once in fairly common use throughout Western Vermont, but where did it originate, and from what language was it coined? It is possible it is a corruption of some old English or Indian word, and was introduced by the Connecticut settlers of Vermont. Perhaps it still survives in localities in Michigan, where Vermonters colonized in great numbers. HENRY BALDWIN.

New York, March 12.

### Disputed Authorship of Poems.

*New York Times Saturday Review of Books:*

Poems of disputed authorship divide themselves naturally into two categories. One class consists of those which have each been claimed by several persons, as "Beautiful Snow," "All Quiet Along the Potomac," "If I Should Die To-night," "The Long Ago," &c. The other embraces poems that have been persistently attributed to people who did not write them and who never made any claim to their authorship, as McCreery's "There Is No Death," which is still ascribed to Bulwer, who probably never heard of it; Homer Greene's "What My Lover Said," ludicrously credited to Horace Greeley, who never wrote a line of verse in his life; Miss Gould's poem, "A Name in the Sand," included in the first edition of George D. Prentice's collected verses, although Prentice never claimed it, and the error of claiming it for him was corrected afterward by its omission from subsequent editions. Of the latter class is "The Old Canoe," which Adela F. Smith ("Answers from Readers," Feb. 29,) ascribes to Albert Pike, on the authority of one of the cheap "collections." This poem is not included in the collected edition of Gen. Pike's verses, and its authorship was never claimed by him. It was written by Emily Rebecca Page, a Vermont writer, (1834-1862,) when she was only seventeen years old. (See "Poets and Poetry of Vermont," Appleton's "Cyclopedia of American Biography," and Rossiter Johnson's always accurate "Famous Single and Fugitive Poems.")

Much of the confusion as to the authorship of poems is ascribable to the miserable "Select Selections," "Next-Best Collections," and the like cheap paste-and-scissors concoctions, made merely to sell, and thrown together absolutely without pretense of literary judgment or the slightest attempt at accuracy. There ought to be a literary censorship, with power to suppress these abominable fakes. If people who wish to ascertain the authorship of familiar poems would let them severely alone, and depend on such trustworthy sources as Stedman's two anthologies, the collections of Arber, Bullen, Ward, and Miles, and the Rossiter Johnson book named above, there would be much less absurd misinformation afloat.

R. L. C. WHITE.

Nashville, Tenn., March 10.

### "Somehow Good."

If the facetious correspondent who gravely inquired through these columns what could possibly be the meaning of the title of Mr. De Morgan's new novel "Somehow Good" could see the number of letters received in answer to his query, he would no longer doubt the extent of popular familiarity with "In Memoriam."—[Ed.]

### A Book for the Superstitious.

With deliberate intention, so they say, the publishers, the Frederick A. Stokes Company, chose yesterday for the publication of "The Moonbeam Wish Book." Now yesterday was Friday and the thirteenth of the month, and the "Wish Book" simply teems with superstitions derived from a study of the moon. The plan of the book is to invite one's friends to make a wish and then to write their names in spaces provided for the purpose. The chances for the fulfillment of the wishes thus registered are based on the theory that wishes made when seeing the new moon are granted.

## ROUND THE WORLD WITH A HUMORIST.

AROUND THE WORLD IN A YEAR. By George L. Carlisle. New York: Robert Grier Cooke.

FEW people who plunge into authorship with no better excuse than that they have made a journey, longer or shorter, through the lands through which everybody travels who travels at all produce a book as easily pardonable—and readable—as is "Around the World in a Year," by George L. Carlisle, a New York lawyer, who after twenty-five years of hard work at the bar, found, as he says, that it was a case of break down or break away. He broke away, but even on a vacation the toils of the long road and the excitements of seeing many cities and the inhabitants thereof were not enough to satisfy the dreadful yearning to be always "doing something," which is the penalty exacted by outraged nature from civilization, and on his way he wrote this account of his tour.

Mr. Carlisle describes it properly enough as neither a guide book nor a diary, but a record of impressions, a series of short stories. Of course he did not altogether escape the fatal lure of facts and figures, or invariably resist the vicious inclination to give useful information, but he was somewhat more than fairly successful in carrying out his plan, and, though it seems to have been with a sense of sin, he not infrequently gives expression to a purely personal and therefore original and interesting view of things that have been described a thousand times.

It is this, and a curiously, but not offensively, humorous view of the foreign "monuments," animate and inanimate, that save the book from being as futile as its innumerable rivals and give it value. Not everybody can sail past the shores of Greece, and, after calling the four most famous mountains in the world "a fine lot of old timers for you," wonder how so many historical associations can cling to bare slopes where a Harlem goat would have difficulty in keeping his feet. That is a characteristic Carlisle jest. Another concerns Carlsbad: "It is an expensive place. Others go there for their health, but the hotel proprietors do not." A third concerns Capt. Cook and the Sandwich Islands. It occurs to Mr. Carlisle to say that neither name had anything to do with what the natives did to the explorer. Seeing in Java a dugout with a crew of three women and a man, he tells us much in a phrase—"The man was there to keep order."

But Mr. Carlisle is keenly and shrewdly observant as well as humorous. In the places that have been most often written up—Athens, for instance—he sees queer little things that others have missed, and there is real enlightenment in his comments on the methods and manners of India's alien rulers and on the treatment of women by the Japanese. When Mr. Carlisle condemns the whole Filipino race because eight of its representatives, deck passengers bound for Hawaii, were a bad lot, or when, arriving in Japan in midwinter, he decides that it is an uncomfortable and over-praised country, the judicious reader grieves, but these mistakes are not many, and the book as a whole is worth while.

### The Church and the Modernist Movement.

Two documents were issued last year by papal decree dealing with the religious movement known to-day as "Modernism." The first of these was a "Syllabus," a pronouncement of the Congregation of the Holy Office, indorsed by the Pope, and issued in July, 1907. It contained a list of sixty-five condemned propositions made by certain modern writers on matters pertaining to Christian belief, biblical criticism, theology, church discipline, &c. It was followed in September by an "Encyclical Letter" on modernism, covering the same ground as the Syllabus, reproving the radical tendencies of the day, and suggesting various measures for their prevention. Following these documents, which, of course, mark an era in the Roman Catholic Church, certain priests, who have since been expelled from the church, published a pamphlet which they called "The Programme of Modernism," in which the attempt is made to gather together in a brief space all the assured results of biblical and historical criticism, and to reconcile them with a spiritual faith in Catholic religion. As yet no English version has been made of the two branches to this controversy. Now, however, a translation of these interesting documents has been completed and will be published next month by G. P. Putnam's Sons.

## EMOTIONAL ROMANCE.

"None So Pretty. A Story of Emotions," (Longmans, Green & Co.,) is by the author of "A Discrepant World," an English writer who has preserved anonymity through the publication of seven volumes of verse and prose. There can be little doubt that the story is a woman's work, for femininity lurks in every page, an occasional masculine swagger serving only as additional evidence. The scene is laid in Cumberland, with occasional changes to London and the Continent; the hero is a country boy with an artist's ambition, which finally leads him to London. The love story furnishes a full assortment of complications, the artist having, on the spur of a somewhat trying moment, married one girl while loving another. An old sweetheart of each appears, and the attention of an earnest young clergyman is rather fully absorbed in preventing a catastrophy, while he himself is not entirely uninterested. A Baroness, who bears a mysterious relation to the artist's first sweetheart, and a Baronet, whose past relations with a fascinating light of the stage have never been quite forgotten, lend their full share to the development of the story.

## A HYBRID BOOK.

It is a little difficult to classify this volume "The Evolution of Rose," (Richard Badger.) Whether Miss Snow intended it to be a story or a journal, a treatise on abstract philosophy or a compilation of aphorisms, is not sufficiently clear to justify our criticism of it as one of the four. The story is extremely clouded; the journal is no striking revelation of individuality, the abstract philosophy is expressed without conviction, and the aphorisms are of such originality as the following: "There is nothing permanent but change," "Certainty is the death of love," "Innocence and ignorance are not synonyms," and "The unknown is the region of enchantment." There are just forty of these strung together in a chapter by themselves in the middle of the volume, besides the many scattered throughout the seventy-four pages of Rose's evolution.

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# BRITISH WRITERS TELL THEIR PLANS

## Many Are Also Busy Abolishing Censors, Pleading for Clemency, and in Like Good Works.

LONDON, March 6.—The United States has at least one National possession which cannot be matched by anything in England—that is, a great, pre-eminent humorist. Where in the race for fame among American humorists it is a case of Mark Twain "first and the rest nowhere," it is in England quite impossible to say who has won the prize. In the popular estimation I should fancy that Jerome K. Jerome and W. W. Jacobs were the winners.

I have just had letters from both these men.

Mr. Jacobs, who is at his home in Essex, is not for the moment, so far as writing goes, improving the shining hours. "The only work I am doing at present," says he, "is a novel entitled 'Salthaven,' which is running serially, and which I hope to publish with Messrs. Methuen in the Autumn."

Mr. Jerome, on the other hand, seems to be tremendously busy. When I heard from him he was stopping in Brussels for a few days on his way back from Switzerland. He has many plans; in the first place, he purposes to publish in a few weeks a book of short essays with Messrs. Hurst & Blackett, and in the Autumn to publish in New York with Messrs. Dodd-Mead a volume called "The Passing of the Third Floor Back," which Mr. Jerome describes as "a collection of tales bearing a mystical character."

This is not all. Mr. Jerome adds: "Then I am trying to finish a novel, a light, humorous work, in time for publication some time this year by Messrs. Hutchinson. But my play work makes it uncertain whether I can accomplish this." Mr. Jerome, who has himself been an actor, has written several plays, including the extremely successful "Miss Hobbs."

When Miss Anna Douglas Sedgwick's novel, "Valerie Upton," appeared last Autumn it was extremely difficult to tell from what I think learned people call "internal evidence" whether it was the work of an American or an English person. The scene was mostly laid in America, and while it seemed too hard to believe that an American could describe National faults and peculiarities so coldly, it was equally difficult to believe a foreigner could so thoroughly have understood them. The fact of the matter is that the author of what was certainly one of the most noteworthy novels of many months past is an American who has lived very much abroad. When we know these facts, those of us who admired Miss Sedgwick's novel enthusiastically, exclaim: "To be sure! we might have known it from the way she wrote." I fancy this is often the way with internal evidence; it is like a sign post written in a cipher, the key of which is to be found only at the point to which the sign post is supposed to direct us.

Miss Sedgwick has given me some interesting particulars about her next novel, over which (as a particularly attractive literary bone) several London publishers are at present quarreling. It is to be called "Annabel Channice," and those who have seen it in manuscript think it her best book.

"The scene," says Miss Sedgwick, "is laid in England, and the theme is very dramatic—a knot sharply unraveled in the space of about one week. There are four characters, and no more, of any importance—Annabel Channice; her son, Augustine; her husband, Sir Hugh Channice, and another woman, Lady Elliston. The story centres in the relation of Lady Channice to her son, a boy of 19, and to her husband, from whom she is separated." Miss Sedgwick is therefore going to give us again the study of a middle-aged heroine. The authoress concludes her revelations by exclaiming, "I think I cannot say any more without 'giving away' my story!"

English authors seem during the past few days to have been interesting themselves to a remarkable extent in public matters, and every morning we find the newspapers full of petitions signed by the leading poets, and protesting letters written by famous novelists. In the first place there is, of course, the anti-censor demonstration, which—the Prime Minister being ill—called upon Mr. Herbert Gladstone on Tuesday. This deputation contained, it is said, more notable men than have visited an English Minister for these many years. Mr. J. W. Barrie, who has been called the shyest man of letters in England, made the opening speech, and Mr. A. W. Pinero and Sir William S. Gilbert also spoke against the unpopular institution of the play examiner. To the ordinary public, however, this talk against the censor is beginning to be like the book war and the Shakespeare-Bacon controversy, something of a dead question.

Another subject in which literary persons have interested themselves is the sad case of a little girl who has within the past few days been condemned to five years' imprisonment in a reformatory. Mr. Eden Phillpotts, Miss Beatrice Harraden, and several other writers have protested eloquently against this seemingly cruel sentence, and again, by a coincidence, have met Mr. Gladstone's authority. The Home Secretary disagrees with the sympathetic authors and feels little Dorothy's sentence must stand.

Besides attacking the censor and defending the child, we see literary people of the most distinguished sort—Mr. Hardy, Mrs. Humphry Ward, and George Meredith—putting their names to a petition urging that clemency be used toward Nicholas Tchaikovsky, a Russian well known in England and now a prisoner in the fortress of Saints Peter and Paul. On the other hand, many novelists—men as well as women—gave on Monday autographed and specially inscribed copies of their books, to be sold at more than four times their ordinary price, for the benefit of the woman's suffrage organization.

All this seems to disprove what is said so often—that is, that literary men and other artists do not care for public affairs.

One of the practical annoyances which authors run against, and of which the reader has no suspicion, is the tyranny of word correcting, and the necessity of compressing or distending a given idea merely because, treated in its natural way, it is too long for the conventional short story, or too short for the six-shilling novel. Publishers' experience seems to show that a novel cannot run much short of the usual length and be successful—which is a great pity. Many a fine story has been left unwritten by the conscientious author, and spoiled by the unconscientious one, because it did not furnish material for the usual two or three hundred printed pages.

All this was suggested by an angry little note which Mr. Maurice Hewlett has recently sent to the papers on the subject of a disagreement he has had with his publishers about his forthcoming story, "The Spanish Jade," a book that runs to less than half the ordinary novel length. It is a pity anything should have occurred to mar the prospects of this book since I have been told by some one who read it in manuscript that it is one of the finest things Mr. Hewlett has ever done.

Sir John Tenniel was 88 to-day, and from his life of retirement in Maida Hill can look back on a career of wonderful industry, during which he drew some 2,500 Punch cartoons, and—a far more memorable feat—made the original "Alice in Wonderland" illustrations. It must have been a pleasing thing to this distinguished old man to see, as he has during the past year, that his "Alice" has a place as unassailable as the fortress of Gibraltar, and that the British public discountenances alien "Alices" just as it might discountenance attempts to rewrite Shakespeare's plays and prepare new versions of Dickens's novels.

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Suitably enough, "Priest and Pagan" will be issued by Messrs. Houghton, Mifflin & Co. at the same moment as the Rev. Washington Gladden's "The Church and Modern Life," for in the very preface the author proudly says, referring to the disturbed, self-conscious period through which the Church is passing, "The way of life is not obscure, and it seems almost absurd to indulge the fear that the Church, after being providentially guided through so many centuries, will fail to find it." In the chapter called "The New Leadership" he does not hesitate to assert to those who delight in the imperfections of the Church that she has accomplished a large part of all that has been done to enlighten, to comfort, and to uplift humanity, and he prophesies that the young men and women to be called to the leadership of the Church will aim at bringing her into connection with every institution and agency by which the world's work is done; will make her the central dynamo of the community. Decidedly, here is a Christian with a backbone; and with no need of any Mrs. Squeers to spoon out "a new theology" to him.

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# QUERIES.

TO secure attention in this department every communication must be signed with the full name and address of the inquirer, which will not be published unless the inquirer so desires. Trivial questions will not be heeded. Queries will be answered in the order of their receipt, and as the number received weekly is very large, and the pressure upon our columns is always very great, inquirers must always be prepared to await their turn.

A. R.—In Gelett Burgess's introduction to his "Maxims of Methusaleh" he narrates several legends of the patriarch, (as, for instance, that he died on the date set for the flood, which was postponed for several days,) and quotes several authorities in his footnotes, citing from Eusebius, Eisenmenger, "The Midink, Colin de Plancy," and other books. Can you tell me whether these fables are genuine tradition recorded by known writers, or are they invented by Mr. Burgess in his customary whimsical spirit? He is used to keeping so straight a face when he is fooling and so humorous a countenance when he is in earnest that he baffles the ordinary "Bromide."

The exact date of the Deluge is very much a matter of dispute. There are at least two score different dates assigned by as many different "authorities" for that event. The date of the death of Methuselah is also very uncertain. According to one authority he died about six years before the Deluge. Another thinks that he died a few months before it occurred. We are of the opinion that Mr. Burgess's statements about the ancient Hebrew patriarch are not to be taken seriously.

V. L. W.—Of Gustave Nadaud's often translated "Carcassonne," is there any one translation generally accounted the best? On your page of "Queries" will you kindly reprint the third stanza of the poem, according to your selection?

Mrs. Sherwood's translation of "Carcassonne," which has been heretofore published in these columns, is, perhaps, the best known, if not the best, version printed. The third stanza is as follows:

"They say it is gay all times
As holidays at home;
The gentles ride in gay attire,
And in the sun each gilded spire
Shoots up like those of Rome.
The Bishop the procession leads,
The Generals curb their prancing steeds;
Alas! I know not Carcassonne;
Alas! I saw not Carcassonne."

M. H. H.—Please tell me who is the author of the lines:

"A little nonsense now and then
Is relished by the wisest men."

According to Bartlett, the author of the lines quoted is not known. They may have had their origin from a phrase in a letter from Horace Walpole to Sir Horace Mann, in 1774, which reads: "A careless song, with a little nonsense in it now and then, does not misbecome a monarch."

A. L. BOGAN.—I am inclosing small photos of the title pages and first illustrated page of a bound volume of what appears to be a series of German pamphlets. The title page is dated 1681; the printed page, 1688, which relates to Syria; the rest is about Palestine, dated 1689. Both pamphlets include many maps and illustrations. The printed pages measure 11 inches deep by 7 inches wide.

The author of this work was Oliver or Olfert Dapper, a Dutch physician and geographer. He published some extensive and interesting works, among which are a "Description of Africa," a "Description of the Chinese Empire," and a "Description of Asia." He died in 1690. His works, comprising Asia, Africa, Syria and the Holy Land, Mesopotamia, and Arabia, copperplates, &c., Amsterdam and Nuremberg, 1671-88, four volumes, folio calf, fetch from $6 to $10 at auction.

WALTER METZNER.—Among my collection of old books I have a volume concerning which I should be pleased to have you give me some information as to its rarity. I have been told that there are only two other copies known to exist of this book, one in the Kensington Library, England, and one in the Library of Washington. The book is printed in German and is entitled: "Merkwuerdige Briefe und Schriften der Beruehmtesten Generaele in Amerika, nebst derselben beygefuegten Lebensbeschreibungen. Herausgegeben von Johann Zinner, Professor der Philosophie und Statistik auf der Kaiser Akademie in Kaschau. Augsburg, 1782, bey Eberhard Kletts del, Wittwe und Franck."

If only three copies of this work are extant, a statement we believe to be incorrect, the book is a great rarity. We find no record of a sale of it, and cannot give its market value. Johann Rudolf Sinner or Zinner was a Swiss philologist, born at Berne in 1730, died in 1787. It does not necessarily follow because the work is rare it is valuable.

M. I. S.—I am told that the 1888 edition of Bryce's "American Commonwealth" has a special value because it contains the chapters on "Kearnyism in California." Is this true?

The first, or 1888, edition is rare because it contains a severe criticism of Tammany Hall, which is not found in later editions.

M. L. N.—Will you kindly give me the value of the following books: "Travels in Italy, Greece, and the Ionian Islands," by H. W. Williams, Esq. Two volumes. Edinburgh, 1820. "Italy," a Poem, by Samuel Rogers. London, 1830. (Contains a note from Rogers to Mrs. Charles Dickens, accepting an invitation?)

This is a first edition of Rogers's "Italy." It is worth from $5 to $10, although copies in fine binding fetch higher prices.

The "Travels," by Hugh W. Williams, or "Grecian Williams," as he was called, is also a first edition. It is worth about $5.

H. F. MITCHELL.—Can you tell me the name of the author of a little story entitled "The Heresy of Parson Medlicott," which was published some time ago in a small booklet form? The story is about an old minister whose heresy consists in the consolation he gives a little boy who, on the death of his dog, is overcome by grief and says he doesn't want to go to heaven "if Don isn't there." The comfort the old minister gives the child horrifies his parishioners, and he is waited upon by the deacons. He shields himself at first behind the opinions of Wesley and Kingsley, that "the beasts, too, are immortal," then he expresses his own belief and tells his visitors what comradeship and love his own little dog has given him.

The author of the book so fully described by our correspondent was I. Clark, and it was published by T. Y. Crowell & Co., 426 West Broadway, New York, at 35 cents.

## Answers from Readers.

E. E. DAVIS.—"X.," in Appeals to Readers of Feb. 29, will find "Peace, perfect peace," in "The Church Hymnal," No. 674. This hymn was written by the Rev. Edward Henry Bickersteth, born in England, 1825; curate in Birmingham; rector, and private chaplain to the Bishop of Ripon; Bishop of Exeter in 1885. He wrote numerous religious works and several long and short poems.

2. "Until the day break, and the shadows flee away," may be found in the Canticles, chapter 2, verse 17; chapter 4, verse 6.

R. L. C. WHITE.—The lines quoted by H. T. L. (Appeals to Readers, Feb. 22) are the beginning of a poem by Edward Lear, entitled "Incidents in the Life of My Uncle Airly." The poem is included in Carolyn Wells's "Nonsense Anthology."

The lines—

"Like unto ships far off at sea,
Outward or homeward bound are we"—

are not, as M. C. L. seems to think, the "beginning of a poem." They occur toward the latter part of Longfellow's well-known poem "The Building of the Ship."

JOHN F. CRAMER.—The quotation given by M. C. L. in your issue of Feb. 22:

"Now tell me how Love cometh?"
"It comes unsought, unsent."
"And tell me how Love goeth?"
"That was not Love that went."

is from Maria Lovell's translation of "Ingomar the Barbarian," and the conversation is between Ingomar and Parthenia. It was in the repertoire of John McCullough.

M. D. S. writes that the lines are from the German "The Son of the Wilderness," by Friedrich Halm, (1806-1854.)

C. S. D.—On Feb. 29, "X." asked for the line, "Until the day break and the shadows flee away." Possibly the poem is called "Still with Thee," by Harriet Beecher Stowe, beginning:

"Still, still with thee, when purple morning breaketh,
When the bird waketh and the shadows flee."

LOUIS BETTMAN.—The author of the poem, "The Highlander," inquired for by Mrs. J. F. Chester in your issue of Feb. 8, is W. Gillespie.

WALTER BEVERLEY CRANE.—The poem containing the lines,

"Last night my soul drove out to sea,
* * * * * * * *
And all my reckoning lost,"

may be found by "M. G. P." in The National Era of 1858. I copy it ad literatim:

### DEAD RECKONING.

"An account of the ship's course and distance, calculated without the aid of celestial observation."—Webster's Dictionary.

Last night my Soul drove out to sea—
Down through the Pagan gloom,
As chartless as Eternity,
And dangerous as Doom.

By blinding gusts of no-God chased,
My crazy craft plunged on;
I crept aloft, in prayers, to find
The lighthouse of the Dawn.

No shore, no star, no sail ahead,
No lookout's saving song—
Death, and the rest, athwart my bows,
And all my reckoning wrong.

May I be permitted to observe that the lines quoted are singularly appropriate to the National era of 1908, in view of the fact that "'In God We Trust'" is a motto of the past? As one who has sailed the seven seas, I believe

"That saints will aid, if men will call,
For the blue sky bends over all."

"Though Boreas' blast and Neptune's wave
Did toss me to and fro,
In spite of both, by God's decree,
I harbor here below;
And here I do at anchor ride,
With many of our fleet,
Yet once again I must set sail,
Our Admiral, Christ, to meet."

D. W. E.—Referring to your reply to "A Reader" in issue of Feb. 15, regarding horn books, an excellent brief description is given in Edward Eggleston's "The Transit of Civilization," page 212.

An eighth century reference to them is given by Gibbon, Chapter xlix., in a letter from Pope Gregory II. to the Emperor Leo, (A. D. 727): "And were you to enter a grammar school and avow yourself the enemy of our worship," (i. e. of images,) "the simple and pious children would be provoked to cast their horn books at your head." Are there older references?

H. M. H.—The name "Iolanthe" appears to be a form of "Yolande." In addition to appearing in Gilbert and Sullivan's operetta, it is the name of the heroine in "King Rene's Daughter," by the Danish author, Henrik Hertz, which appeared in 1845. Rene was a King of Provence in the fifteenth century, and had a daughter Yolande. Hertz changed it to Iolanthe, in his play.

T. W. C.—In reply to "Querist" in your issue of Feb. 22, concerning the "camelian" ring mentioned in Miss Wilkin's story, "Comfort Pease and Her Gold Ring," I would call attention to the fact that about forty years ago carnelian, or more properly cornelian, rings were very common and inexpensive, cornelian being a variety of chalcedony, a sort of onyx. Rings were made entirely of cornelian, cut into varied shapes, there being no gold or other setting. Cornelian is of a deep red color, often streaked with white, and admits of a fine polish. Such rings were favorite gifts to children, whereas gold rings were rare gifts to children, owing to their greater value. Hence we can easily understand Aunt Comfort's remark: "If it was a camelian ring I wouldn't care, but it does seem a pity when it's a real gold ring."

T. W. C.—There have been a number of poems given on "What is Life?" but I have not seen the following, which I met in a scrapbook many years ago, unfortunately without the name of the author:

"What is life, 'tis a beautiful shell,
Cast up by eternity's flow,
On Time's quicksand to dwell
And a moment its loveliness show;
Gone back to its element grand,
Is the billow that brought it ashore—
See another is washing the strand!
And the beautiful shell is no more."

E. A. H.—Your correspondent, J. A., may find what he seeks in the book advertised by Doubleday, Page & Co., "Collected Verse" of Rudyard Kipling. It may not be complete, but they advertise it as containing all that has been published hitherto in serial volumes. This is only one volume, and probably just what "J. A." wants.

W. S. G.—The hymn sought by Mrs. F. G. S. is Thomas Moore's "Thou Art, O God!" It may be found in any complete edition of his works.

THEODORE F. WOLFE.—Your correspondent, H. J. F. of Brooklyn, evidently refers to a poem, entitled "Lady Byron's Answer to Byron's 'Farewell,'" which appeared in many periodicals several years ago. A member of Lady Byron's family told me that her ladyship had nothing to do with the composition of the poem. The first lines are:

"Yes! farewell—farewell forever!
Thou thyself hast fixed our doom,
Bade hope's fairest blossoms wither,
Nevermore for me to bloom."

It is a long poem of sixty-four lines. I can put your correspondent in the way to secure a copy if desired.

R. F. CARTER.—I am not sure what "Fall River" is seeking concerning "The Sleepy Chillun' Tune," but perhaps the author's name might help. I have a copy of this poem, taken from THE SATURDAY REVIEW OF BOOKS, I think, and the author's name attached is Frank L. Stanton.

R. FLEMING.—The religious poem requested by "M. C. L.," in your issue of Feb. 22, may be found without author's name given in "The Shadow of the Rock, and Other Religious Poems," published by A. D. F. Randolph in 1872. The first edition of this book was issued in 1865 as a companion volume to "The Changed Cross, and Other Religious Poems." These compilations were mostly waifs, gathered from magazines and newspapers, and only in a few instances were the authors known. Quite often in your own columns and in those of similar publications are queries regarding poems which may be found in these collections. Two other volumes, "The Chamber of Peace," and "The Uplands of God," followed these, but they have not become so well known. The poem in question is entitled "I Shall Be Satisfied," and is as follows:

Not here! not here! Not where the sparkling waters
Fade into mocking sands as we draw near,
Where in the wilderness each footstep falters,
"I shall be satisfied," but oh, not here.

Not here, where all the dreams of bliss deceive us,
Where the worn spirit never gains its goal;
Where haunted ever by the thoughts that grieve us,
Across us floods of bitter memories roll.

There is a land where every pulse is thrilling
With rapture earth's sojourners may not know;
Where heaven's repose the weary heart is thrilling,
And peacefully life's time-tossed currents flow.

Far out of sight, while yet the flesh enfolds us,
Lies that fair country where our hearts abide;
And of its bliss is naught more wondrous told us,
Than these few words: "I shall be satisfied."

Shall they be satisfied? The soul's vague longing,
The aching void which nothing earthly fills?
Oh! what desires upon my soul are thronging,
As I look upward to the heavenly hills.

Thither my weak and weary steps are tending,
Saviour and Lord! With Thy frail child abide;
Guide me towards home, where, all my wandering ended,
I there shall see Thee and "be satisfied."

M. M. M.—Among the Appeals to Readers some time ago there was a request for the words of Tolstoi's song "Parted." I think, probably, the song meant is the one by Paolo Tosti of that name. The words, which I give, were written, I think, by Frederick E. Weatherly. I quote from memory, and therefore perhaps faultily:

"Dearest, our day is over,
Ended the dream divine,
You must go back to your life,
I must go back to mine—
Back to the joyless duties,
Back to the fruitless tears;
Loving and yet divided
All through the endless years."

Then the chorus:

"How can I live without you,
How can I let you go?
I that you love so well,
You that I worship so.

"Dearest, the night is ended,
Waneth the trembling moon.
Hark how the wind ariseth!
Morn will be here too soon.
Tell me again you love me,
Kiss me on lips and brow—
Love of my soul I love you,
How can I leave you now?"

## Appeals to Readers.

A. McB.—Where can I secure a copy of the little selection entitled "Love's Shop"? The author I do not know, but I think the publication is anonymous. The piece is written for a recitation, and is about a young girl who goes to "Love's Shop" to purchase a heart. I don't think it is new. Still I have never heard it but once. It is rather pathetic, but a very pretty thing.

J. H. M.—Will one of your readers tell me who wrote the poem, entitled "Ashes of Roses," a verse of which is as follows:

"My Angela, come near me! Lift thy happy eyes to mine!
A new light is shining from them—have I rightly read the sign?
Heard I not low, murmuring voices at the garden gate just now?
Yes, sweet sister, love hath won thee! Take this kiss upon thy brow"?

W. N. REED.—Can any of your readers give me the words of a poem, the only part of which I remember is:

"She mocked me at first when I came
And flung my young heart at her feet,
And accused me because of a crime
That was done ere my pulses had beat"?

E. B. ROBINSON.—Can any of your readers tell me from what poem the following quotation is taken, and by whom it was written:

"Still as of old, in accents bright and clear,
* * * * * "I seem to hear
The tinkling tear drop of la roche qui pleure"?

It was about Fontainebleau.

F. L. W.—Can any of your readers kindly tell me where the following lines can be found? Perhaps you will give me the poem entire:

"Boys flying kites haul in their white-winged birds,
You can't do that way when you're flying words."

Mrs. H. G. BECKWITH.—Some time in the early nineties of the last century I saw a poem credited to Kipling, of which three lines ran:

"There are nine and thirty ways
Of constructing tribal lays,
And every single one of them is right."

Can any of your contributors help me to find it again? I have searched the magazines, but have not been able to find it, nor have I seen it in collections of his poems.

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NEXT Saturday two novels will be published by Charles Scribner's Sons: "Old Mr. Davenant's Money," by Francis Powell, author of "The House on the Hudson," "The Prisoner of Ornith Farm," &c., and "The Old Room," by Carl Ewald. The first of these is described in a sub-title as being "A Romance of Long Island," and deals, in a plot characterized by a considerable element of mystery, with the affairs of the Davenant family. The other is a Danish novel translated into English by Alexander Teixeira de Mattos. In Denmark this book, which is an intensely modern story of domestic life, has attracted considerable attention on account of the frankness and dramatic force with which it is written.

A book entitled "The Atoning Life," by Prof. Henry S. Nash of the Cambridge Theological School, is now in press and will be published by the Macmillan Company some time before Easter. In it the author discusses some of the more vital principles underlying the Christian religion, addressing himself primarily to the general reader. Owing to his position and reputation as a scholar, however, his conclusions and the arguments by which they are reached are calculated to appeal to those who have made theology a special study.

The diet, care, and treatment of mother and child form the burden of a book by Herman Partsch, M. D., entitled "Messages to Mothers," which will be published in the early part of next month by Paul Elder & Co.

Two novels published this week by Mitchell Kennerley are "Life's Understudies," by Ina Rozant, author of "An Actress's Pilgrimage," and "The Adventures of John Johns," by Frederic Carrel, author of "An Education." The first is a novel of English theatrical life among the rather medium class of actors; the other is a study of a type of selfishness that wins success.

"A Tarpaulin Muster" gives the title to a volume by John Masefield, consisting of a series of tales, mainly of the sea, which is published to-day by B. W. Dodge & Co.

"The New Horoscope of Missions," by Dr. James S. Dennis, is a book which will be issued this month by the Fleming H. Revell Company, and which gives a record of the missionary work throughout the world. The book is made up from a series of lectures delivered at McCormick Theological Seminary, and is calculated to serve the purpose of a reference work on missions.

Next month Thomas Y. Crowell & Co. will publish a book by Dr. John M. Thomas, President of Middlebury College, entitled "The Christian Faith and the Old Testament," in which is discussed the varying degree of importance in which the different portions of the Old Testament are to be regarded by the exponents of the Christian faith.

The following books appropriate to the Lenten season will be published this month by Thomas Whittaker, Incorporated: The second part of "Mission Preaching for a Year," from Lent to Whitsunday, edited by the Rev. William Henry Hunt; "The Seven Words from the Cross," by the Rev. Frederick Watson; "The Pathway of the Cross," by G. T. Shettle, and "The Christian Life Here and Hereafter," by the Rev. Frederick Watson, edited by the Rev. G. B. Drake, with a preface by the Lord Bishop of Ely.

Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett's last novel, "The Shuttle," is now in its fifth edition. This, according to the publishers, the Frederick A. Stokes Company, brings the total copies issued to a number somewhat in excess of 150,000. The book is still quoted as a "best seller," ranking first for the month of January. From the Public Library reports it also ranks first in frequency of demand.

"Luck of the Dudley Grahams," recently published by Henry Holt & Co., a story for young people, by Miss Alice Calhoun Haines, is quoted as already going into a second edition.

"The Judgment of Eve" is the title given to May Sinclair's new novel, issued simultaneously by Harper Brothers with Mr. Howells's "Fennel and Rue," this week. Reprints of Thackeray's "Contributions to Punch," and two novels by Wilkie Collins, "Man and Wife" and "I Say No," are also published.

A new edition of Charles A. Conant's "Modern Banks of Issue" will be published this month by G. P. Putnam's Sons. This edition will contain a chapter, not originally in the book, treating of the crisis of 1907, and the relations that can be established between it and industrial and economic tendencies that in part at least explain it.

Next Saturday the Stuyvesant Press will publish a novel entitled "Mr. and Mrs. Villiers," by Herbert Wales.

A novelized version of "The Undertow," a play by Eugene Walters, will be published by C. H. Boscher on the 28th of this month under the title of "The Great Issue." It is said that the publishers were compelled to make this change in the title owing to the fact that there is another novel called "The Undertow" in the field.

Owing to the sickness of the author, Edwin Markham's "The Poetry of Jesus," which was to have been published by the McClure Company this month, has been postponed until April. The new enlarged and revised edition of "Justice to the Jew," by the Rev. Madison C. Peters, is published this week. Also a novel of English life entitled "The Sisters," by Mrs. Percy Dearmer.

"Tuscan Feasts and Tuscan Friends" is the title of a book by Dorothy Nevile Lees, which will be published next Saturday by Dodd, Mead & Co. The author's home is a Tuscan villa near Florence, whence she has made many excursions into the neighboring country, gathering in this manner an abundance of material descriptive of Italian life, high and low, out of which she has fashioned a prettily illustrated volume that, in its familiar character drawings, reminds one of "Cranford" or "Our Village."

"Captain Desmond, V. C.," a novel of military life on the Punja frontier, resembling somewhat in its theme Kipling's "Story of the Gadsbys," is published this week by the John Lane Company, Maude Diver is the author. Another of this week's publications is "The Finances of Sir John Kynnersley," the title given by A. C. Fox-Davies, author of "The Mauleverer Murders," to the record of the curious adventures of his resourceful, money-making hero. A new edition of Elinor Glyn's "The Visits of Elizabeth" will shortly be published.

The following books are issued this week by the Broadway Publishing Company: "The Poisoned Lake, and Other Poems," by Alanson Hartpence; "Adventures of Two Vagabonds," being the humorous experience of two bachelor girls, by "One of 'Em"; "Ralph Fabian's Mistakes," a Southern story, by Miss S. O'H. Dickson; "The Girdle of the Great," by John J. Douglass.

The Century Company does not tell why "The Four-Pools Mystery," which it publishes this month, is issued anonymously. It is said that the author has written several other tales, but of entirely diferent vein. For one of these is claimed a popular success. "Four-Pools" is a stock farm in the Shenandoah Valley, and the tale deals with its days of mystery and tragedy.

This week Brentano's publish an English translation of "The Jesters," by Miguel Zamaçois. The translation is made from the French version of the play, "Les Bouffons," by John N. Raphael. It was first acted a few years ago by Mme. Bernhardt, and is now in Maude Adams's rèpertoire. Next week will be published Von Hoffmannstahl's version of "Electra," as acted by Mrs. Patrick Campbell.

The memoirs of the Right Rev. William Carpenter Bompas, D. D., first Bishop of Athabasca, (1874,) is published this month by E. P. Dutton & Co. under the title, "An Apostle of the North," by H. A. Cody. The book is filled with descriptions of Indian life and of the primitive conditions that encountered the traveler in the region of the Selkirks and Mackenzie River a quarter of a century ago.

A novel dealing with certain modern views of marriage, by Neith Boyce, author of "The Eternal Spring," &c., is published to-day by Duffield & Co. "The Bond" is the title of the book, which is essentially a study of sex, though not a "sex-problem novel" in the ordinary sense of the term.

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